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## RUSSIA READY FOR PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

This Information Is Obtained  
On Reliable Authority.

### JAPS PRESSING RUSSIAN ARMY

**Mikado's Men Moving Forward—The Japanese Are Clearing the Battlefield of Mukden and Collecting the Stores and Munitions Russians Left.**

London, March 28.—5:42 p. m.—A telegram from a north European capital received here at noon today says: "I have just learned on reliable authority that Russia has asked M. Delcasse to act as an intermediary and open peace negotiations with Japan. Delcasse has signified his willingness, but considers that Lansdowne's co-operation is essential to success."

#### Japanese Moving Forward.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, March 29.—The Japanese are again moving forward and the Russian rear guard has fallen back from its position about 13 miles north of Sipinghai (74 miles north of Tie Pass) to Chaoumiaozi, which is situated 40 miles below Gunshu Pass.

Practically complete reports show that the Russian army sacrificed general commissariat stores to the amount of \$1,250,000 and stores for an army corps amounting to \$500,000 held at Mukden most of it being set on fire, the boots and uniforms among the stores, of which the whole army was in need, arriving from Europe four days before the Russian retirement from Mukden. General Kuropatkin ordered the removal of the stores, but his order was not executed. An investigation will be made to establish the responsibility.

#### Japs Clearing Battle Field.

With the Japanese Left Army in the field, March 28, 11 a. m., via Pusan.—The Japanese army near Mukden is clearing the battlefield sorting the enormous quantities of stores and materials captured and attending to the prisoners.

Engineers and others are repairing the railroad bridge across the Hun river, which was badly damaged by the Russians. Trains are now running to the Hun river. They will reach Mukden in a few days. The weather is very warm and the ground is thawing rapidly, making the movement of guns and transport wagons difficult.

#### Russia Has Pile of Gold.

London, March 29.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of the Daily Mail reports that he accepted the invitation of Finance Minister Kokovsov to inspect the reserves of gold in the State bank, and describes his visit to that institution. He says: "The actual view of \$325,000,000 of gold was found supremely uninteresting, tedious and depressing. Over 12,500 sacks of gold coin stacked in rows looked no more impressive than sacks of merchandise, while 15,912 gold ingots closely packed on shelves like a library less suggested their value than the shelves of an ironmonger's store."

#### Mother Murders Her Children.

Paducah, Ky., March 29.—Mrs. Mary Brockwell, whose three children, aged 3, 4 and 5 years, died from poisoning under suspicious circumstances, last Saturday, broke down and confessed she had killed them by giving them morphine and coal oil. The woman said that her husband was in an asylum and that she could not support the children. She also stated that George Albertson promised to marry her if she would get rid of the children. Albertson was arrested as an accessory.

#### Train Wrecked Near Andrews, N. C.

Atlanta, March 29.—A Southern railway passenger train was derailed last night near Andrews, N. C., with the result of injuring several persons. Two, it is reported, seriously. The injured were taken by special train to Mercer, where they were cared for. The superintendent and roadmaster went from Asheville to the scene of the wreck.

### VENEZUELA CAN PAY DEBTS.

**President Castro Says Attack of American Press Is Unwarranted.**

New York, March 29.—President Castro has reiterated, according to a Herold dispatch from Caracas, his statements on the matter. He declares that attacks by the American press against his country and government indicate complete ignorance of the facts concerning the debts of Venezuela and the settlements thereof. The debts are relatively small, the whole amount not exceeding \$30,000,000.

All those debts have, the statement continues, been punctually paid since the protocol was signed. Nearly \$1,000,000 was peremptorily claimed by Germany, England and Italy, and paid. Since then \$2,200,000 more has also been paid, representing 30 per cent of the duties. The other (exterior) debts held in England and Germany, are, according to the provisions of the protocols, being settled between the bond holders and Venezuela.

The country has paid and will continue to pay, the president concluded, as stipulated in the protocols which Minister Bowen arranged.

### WILL CHURCH ACCPET GIFT?

**Is the Question that Is Now Before the Board of Foreign Missions.**

Boston, March 29.—The question of accepting or rejecting John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$100,000 to the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, was the principal business scheduled to come before the meeting of the president, and the committee of the organization today.

The widespread discussion which followed the formal action taken by congregational clergymen in various parts of New England last week in protesting against the acceptance of the gift because of objections to the alleged business methods of the Standard Oil company created interest in today's meeting.

Dr. James L. Barton, foreign secretary of the American board, said today that already \$41,500 of the gift was in the treasury, and the question to be decided at today's meeting was, therefore, that this amount should be returned or that it should be retained and the balance accepted.

### CRY OF FIRE CAUSES PANIC.

**Blaze in Shirt Factory Causes Consternation Among Girl Employees.**

New York, March 29.—A trifling blaze caused by the ignition of a newspaper from a spark from an electrical apparatus in the shirtwaist factory of Max Roth, which occupies the five upper floors of a 6-story building in Walker street today, started a panic among the 300 girls employed there.

There is but one exit, besides the fire escapes, this being a narrow stairway leading from all the floors. When the cry of fire was raised the girls crowded down the stairway, falling over and trampling upon each other, and before all were out a dozen of them had fainted from fright and slight injuries.

The panic was increased by the contact of some of the men employed, who trampled upon the women in their own haste to escape. One girl's hip was fractured.

### Prisoner Burns to Death.

Birmingham, Ala., March 29.—A special to the News from Warrior, Ala., says that Thomas Blackburn, a well-known farmer of that place, had been burned to death in a cell in the town jail by a fire of his own making in an attempt to escape from prison. The fire was discovered too late to save the man, although the cell was broken open with axes and sledge hammers and the burning man dragged out. Blackburn was a brother of City Marshal Blackburn. He had been arrested for drunkenness.

### Two Killed by Missed Shot.

Cumberland, Md., March 29.—Stephen Baldock and Reap Novonich were killed and several fellow workers were injured on the Wabash extension at Okonoko yesterday. The men were working with a blast, which had been set Friday and which failed to explode. While ramming more powder in the hole, the blast exploded with terrific force.

## COTTON REPORT OF THE CENSUS BUREAU

Thirteen and One Half Million  
Bales of Cotton Raised.

### AMOUNT RAISED IN EACH STATE

**Bulletin Shows Number of Square and Round Bales, Including Linters—Condition of the Cotton Market at New Orleans.**

Washington, March 29.—The census bureau today issued a bulletin showing the total crop of cotton for the season of 1904 to be 13,597,782 bales.

These figures include linters and count round bales as half bales, and the total is equivalent to 13,484,000 bales of 500 pounds. The square bales numbered 13,103,477, the round bales 269,161, the sea island bales 108,317, the linters 241,942. Total running bales including linters, 13,745,857. Included in these totals are 192,275 running bales and estimated by ginners as remaining to be ginned.

The total crop of running bales for 1903 was 10,399,558.

The distribution of the crop of 1904, according to the character of the bales and of cotton, was as follows:

Square bales (upland crop) reported from ginneries, 13,103,477.

Round bales (upland crop) reported from ginneries, 269,161.

Bales of sea island cotton reported from ginneries, 108,317.

Bales of linters reported from cotton seed oil mills, 241,942.

The figures for the different states on running bales were:

Alabama, 1,458,966; Arkansas, 883,967; Florida, 86,642; Georgia, 1,360,151; Indian Territory, 475,982; Kansas, 14; Kentucky, 1,922; Louisiana, 1,105,466; Mississippi, 1,738,639; Missouri, 98,156; North Carolina, 744,394; Oklahoma, 241,497; South Carolina, 1,189,134; Tennessee, 316,790; Texas, 3,134,677; Virginia, 17,216.

### New Orleans Market.

New Orleans, March 29.—Though the census bureau report even exceeded the limit fixed by the bears as the estimate of the cotton crop, the local market withstood the effect of the issuance of the report, and went up instead of down. At one time both May and July were 6 points up and at noon all the months were at an advance of 2 points. The market was not active, and 30 minutes after it was read the pit was deserted.

### ALLEGED TREASURER IS SHORT.

**City Official of Florida Town Is Under Serious Charges.**

Jacksonville, Fla., March 29.—City Treasurer Ball, of Orange Park, 14 miles from Jackson, on St. Johns river, resigned at the last meeting of the Orange Park council, and upon investigation it was found that he was short in his accounts. It is not known at this time what the amount of his alleged shortage is. He is said to have tendered a check for the balance due the city to his successor, but later confessed that he had no funds in the Jacksonville bank, on which the check was drawn.

Ball was formerly postmaster at Orange Park, and was arrested some time since for embezzlement of government funds, and is now out on bond awaiting trial at the April term of the federal court, which convenes in Jacksonville this week.

### Soldier Falls Hair to \$260,000.

Burlington, Vt., March 29.—After serving 8 years in Troop 1, Fifteenth cavalry, at Fort Ethan Allen, Leon H. DeGraft, son of the late Leon DeGraft, of the firm of DeGraft & Taylor, of New York, and grandson of H. P. DeGraft, former president of the Bowery bank, has received word that he is heir to an estate valued at about \$200,000. Influential friends have obtained his discharge from the army, and he will go to New York to engage in the real estate business. DeGraft enlisted in the army because of discontent in school. He recently lost the position of troop clerk because he was absent without leave.

### WOMAN GETS TEN YEARS.

**Mrs. Chadwick Is Sentenced—Her Lawyers Make Appeal.**

Cleveland, O., March 29.—Unless the higher court interferes Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick will spend the greater part of the next ten years in the Ohio penitentiary.

A sentence of ten years was imposed on her by Judge Robert W. Taylor in the United States district court yesterday. The sentence came at the close of a busy day for the court in hearing arguments on a motion for a new trial which lasted all day. The motion was overruled.

Mrs. Chadwick was convicted on seven counts and sentenced upon six counts. For four of these counts a sentence of two years each was imposed. Upon two counts a sentence of one year each was imposed, making a total sentence of ten years.

As soon as the sentence was pronounced Attorney J. P. Dawley, of counsel for Mrs. Chadwick, took exceptions to the sentence upon each count except the first count. The defense intends to make the claim that the court cannot impose a separate sentence for each count.

### BOY KILLED WHILE HUNTING.

**Alabama Youth Meets Tragic Death While Out Shooting.**

Columbus, Ga., March 29.—Burrell Ruggs, the 15-year-old son of J. B. Ruggs, of Girard, Ala., was accidentally in the swamps of the Uchee creek a few miles west of the city, yesterday morning.

He and George Roberts, a friend, had planned a day's hunting, and started out early in order to be on the scene by daylight.

Young Ruggs was carrying his gun and an ax, and in walking through the dense woods stumbled over a log, dropping his gun. Both barrels were discharged, the charge taking effect in his chest, killing him instantly.

His comrade, who was ahead of him carrying a lantern, heard a faint cry when Ruggs fell, but he was dead when he reached him.

### SEVERAL KILLED IN TORNADO.

**Minnesota Town In Ruins and Much Property Is Destroyed.**

St. Paul, Minn., March 29.—A report reached this city last night that the little town of Louisburg, in the extreme western portion of the state, had been practically wiped out by a tornado, and that seven persons had been seriously injured. It was also stated that from two to seven were killed; but up to a late hour it has been impossible, owing to lack of telegraph facilities, to verify the latter statement.

Louisburg is a town of about 100 inhabitants in Lac Qui Parle county, and has neither telephone or telegraph connection with the outside world. Reports from nearby towns, however, state that three store buildings were entirely demolished and that every residence in the town was more or less damaged.

### Big Tunnel Now In Use.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 29.—The first engine passed through the big Louisville and Nashville tunnel at Dossett station, and there is apparently no reason why trains cannot begin running or regular schedule over the Cincinnati-Atlanta line on April 1. Freight service will then be inaugurated and passenger trains will be started by April 15. The Dossett tunnel is three-quarters of a mile in length and has been a difficult one to build owing to the sandy nature of the soil and underground streams of water which were struck in its construction.

### Speaker of House Now Governor.

Nashville, Tenn., March 29.—The right of speaker of the senate John I. Cox, to exercise the functions of governor, has been questioned by the legislature and attorney general Cate was asked for an opinion on the subject. General Cate gave an opinion today in favor of Mr. Cox. The supreme court held that they were precluded by constitutional limitations from delivering an advisory opinion on the question of gubernatorial succession. Senator Cox will exercise the functions of governor for the term to which ex-Governor Frazier was elected.

## GIGANTIC SCHEME OF COUNTERFEITING

Secret Service Men Locate Big  
Gang In Denver.

### BEST IMITATIONS EVER FOUND

**They Made \$10 and \$20 Bills of the Buffalo Series—Their Field of Operation Has Been the Entire United States. Description of the Counterfeit.**

Denver, March 29.—The News today says that a counterfeiting scheme, gigantic in its proportions and rich in results which has its field the whole of the United States, has just been unearthed by the federal authorities.

A number of government secret service agents are now in Denver following clues which are said to have led them to believe that the headquarters of the gang are located in this city.

The operations of the counterfeiters are said to extend all the way from New York to San Francisco and it is believed something like \$50,000 has been secured in the larger cities of the country. The counterfeit is one of the best duplicates of the Buffalo series of \$10 and \$20 bills which has ever come to the attention of the federal authorities. A description of the counterfeit as furnished by the United States secret service follows:

Series, 1901, No. 23,513,972; face plate 159, back plate 87, check letter D, signed Lyons, register; Roberts, treasurer; portraits of Lewis and Clark.

The counterfeit is a shade darker than the genuine.

Secret Service Agent F. H. Wilson is here working on the case.

Speaking of the counterfeiters' method of operation, he said:

"Their work is so smooth that it is almost impossible to detect them at it. Several agents are sent out and purchases for small amounts are made in the stores of the town they are in. A \$10 bill or \$20 bill is presented in payment, and they receive their cash in change. The counterfeit is not discovered until it goes to the bank, and even then in a great many cases it has been allowed to go through as perfect is the imitation.

"There is not only one gang, but several of them scattered around over the country. How many there are in the one deal we cannot tell yet."

### WANTED—18 MEN HATERS.

**To Replace 18 Teachers Who Quit to Marry. All in Two Weeks.**

Manchester, N. H., March 29.—Because of the recent extraordinary activity of Cupid among the pretty school maids of this city, the school board finds itself in need of the services of 18 woman teachers, men-haters preferred. Within the last two weeks 18 teachers have notified the school committee of their intention to wed and therefore to quit the city's service. No one can remember when so severe an epidemic of marriage has attacked the teaching force of Manchester, and the school board is said to be worrying considerably over the probability of the epidemic spreading still further.

There are about 125 teachers here, most of them young women, and a rule of long standing forbids a married woman to be a teacher, unless she be without other means of support.

### Dominican Proposition Accepted.

Washington, March 29.—President Roosevelt was decided to accept the proposition of the Dominican government made through Minister Dawson for the control of the finances of that republic with a view to settling aside a portion of the revenues of the republic for the payment of its debts. The officers who will connect the money and hold it will be appointed by the Dominican government, but the names of the men selected will be referred to this government for approval.

### Gen. R. E. Lee's Daughter Dead.

New Orleans, La., March 29.—Miss Mildred Lee, youngest daughter of General Robert E. Lee, died here at the residence of Mrs. William Preston Johnston while on a visit. Her death was due to apoplexy.

## PAVING THE BLOCK COST \$578.31

Interesting Figures Showing What  
it Costs for Good Paving.

### THE JOB IS A FINE ONE

But, Like Everything Else Good, Must  
be Secured at Advanced Cost Over  
Something Inferior—Chairman Tay-  
lor and Council Pleased.

In view of the fact that there has  
been considerable guessing at the cost  
of the paving of the Macadam block  
on East Main street, Chairman Tay-  
lor of the Street Committee, City  
Council, has furnished the following  
figures of the cost, which are abso-  
lutely correct:

|                                                             |                 |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Cost to install machinery, including<br>lumber.....         | \$ 67 95        |
| Labor and teams, including engi-<br>neer and fireman.....   | 478 95          |
| Supplies for two engines, in-<br>cluding wood and coal..... | 29 83           |
| Cost of surveying.....                                      | 7 59            |
| <b>Total cost.....</b>                                      | <b>\$572 31</b> |

#### Recapitulation.

Dimension of street paved, 265 feet,  
70 foot width; number of square yards,  
2,061; cost to grade, crush and lay the  
rock, \$2.16 per front foot; cost per  
square yard, 27.77 cents; flint rock  
used, approximately 750 tons.

#### Soft Graded Paving.

Mr. Dodge, in order to show what a  
coating of flint rock properly crushed  
will do on a softer graded street,  
has built a roadway through the block  
on Liberty street between West Main  
and Garden.

Major Thomas supplied all the  
teams and labor necessary for the ex-  
periment without cost to the city.

### DEATH OF DR. MATHESON.

Aged Gentleman and Ex-Confederate  
Passed Away Wednesday.

The people of Gainesville and this  
section were grieved Wednesday even-  
ing to hear of the death of Dr. Benja-  
min Haile Matheson, which occurred at  
5:45 o'clock in the afternoon.

Deceased was a native of Camden, S.  
C., and was born Nov. 14, 1827. He was  
a graduate of the South Carolina Col-  
lege, and Charleston Medical College,  
completing his medical course at Phila-  
delphia and New York.

After graduating Dr. Matheson went  
to Pickens county, Ala., where he re-  
mained for about nine years, return-  
ing then to Camden. At the beginning  
of the Civil War he entered the Con-  
federate service, being assigned to the  
South Carolina coast. At the close of  
the war he returned to Kershaw coun-  
ty, S. C., and resumed the practice of  
medicine. After practicing medicine  
for a number of years he removed to  
his farm and remained there until  
January, 1902, when he came to Gain-  
esville on account of his health.

Deceased is survived by four sisters,  
Mesdames Mary McCan of Jackson-  
ville, E. P. McCuen of Santa Fe, N. M.,  
N. R. Young of Ocala and S. M. Adam-  
son of this city, and two brothers, J. D.  
and W. C. Matheson of this city.

The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock  
this afternoon from the Presbyterian  
church, Rev. Thos. P. Hay officiating.  
The following gentlemen will act as  
pall bearers, and are requested to meet  
at the home of W. C. Matheson at half-  
past two:

J. H. Vidal, W. T. Chesnut, J. W.  
Tench, B. F. Jordan, James Doig, C. A.  
Colelough.

To the bereaved relatives The Sun,  
with other friends, extends sincere  
sympathy.

### ANOTHER NEW COTTAGE.

L. A. Jernigan to Erect Nice Home on  
South Roper Avenue.

L. A. Jernigan, the jeweler, is erect-  
ing a nice home on South Roper ave-  
nue, East Gainesville, directly south  
of the elegant home of Tax Assessor  
W. W. Colson.

Mr. Jernigan has let the contract for  
woodwork to R. W. Hall, and brick-  
work to E. C. McMahan, both of whom  
have already begun work. The cot-  
tage when completed will be two  
stories in height, and will contain  
seven rooms and bath. It will be  
modern in every respect, and will be  
occupied by Mr. Jernigan and family,  
who have for several years resided at  
the corner of East Magnolia and South  
Oak avenue.

#### To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-  
lets. All druggists refund the money  
if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's sig-  
nature is on each box. 25c.

Begin Taking Ozomulsion Today  
and Your Cure Begins Today

## OZOMULSION

The Cod Liver Oil Emulsion "Pure Excellence."  
Its Vitalized Medicinal Food Proper-  
ties are Very Quickly Realized.  
In Bringing Healthy Color to the  
Cheeks of the Pale and Sallow.  
In Producing Strength to the Weak, to  
the Feeble and the Invalid.  
In Toning up the System of Conval-  
escents from Exhausting Diseases.  
In Cleansing the Entire System.  
In Nourishing the Wornout.  
In Rounding Out the Thin, Peaked  
Faces of Children.  
In Building up on their Little Bodies  
the Desirable Pink and White Flesh, and  
in Dotting their cheeks with the Pretty  
Color and Dimples that make Mother's  
Heart Glad.

**OZOMULSION**  
Is an Antidote for all Diseases Caused by  
Exposure to Cold and Wet.  
To prove its Medicinal Food Merits a  
**Trial Bottle Free by Mail**  
will be sent on request. Write by letter  
or postal card to  
Ozomulsion Co., 98 Pine St., New York.  
All Druggists—Two sizes—50c. and \$1.00.

### A DESERVED PROMOTION.

Harvey L. Hutchinson Will be Manager  
for National at Charleston.

H. L. Hutchinson, who for the past  
two years has been working hard,  
faithfully and successfully in the ca-  
pacity of traveling salesman for the  
Hammond Packing Company and the  
National Packing Company, has been  
rewarded for his faithfulness and effi-  
ciency by a deserved promotion, and  
after Monday will be the manager of  
the Charleston branch of the National  
Packing Company of Chicago, one of  
the largest packing plants in the  
United States. The Charleston branch  
is the largest and most important  
branch in the South, which makes  
the promotion all the more compliment-  
ary.

Mr. Hutchinson has been antici-  
pating the promotion for several  
weeks, as it was intimated from head-  
quarters that it would be given him.  
He received a telegram Saturday di-  
recting him to report for duty to as-  
sume the management of the Charle-  
ston branch Monday morning.

Few salesmen in the State have been  
more popular or more successful than  
Mr. Hutchinson, and, while his friends  
throughout the territory regret so  
much to lose him, they will neverthe-  
less join in extending congratulations  
upon this deserved and most compli-  
mentary promotion.

Mr. Hutchinson will leave for  
Charleston Saturday, but proposes to  
keep his family in this city for the  
present.

#### For an Impaired Appetite.

Loss of appetite always results from  
faulty digestion. All that is needed  
is a few doses of Chamberlain's Stom-  
ach and Liver Tablets. They will in-  
vigorize the stomach, strengthen the  
digestion and give you an appetite like  
a wolf. These tablets also act as a gen-  
tle laxative. For sale by all druggists.

#### Ball Club Organized.

The baseball season is about to dawn,  
and various clubs are being organized  
for the coming summer. Among the  
best colored teams yet organized is  
the Central City Club, colored, which  
will this year be under the manage-  
ment of Grant Player.

The Central City Club furnished  
some exciting games to the fans of  
Gainesville last summer, and propose  
now to bring some of the strongest  
colored teams in the State to play  
here. This city, which has always en-  
joyed the reputation, both white and  
colored teams, of being the champion  
of the State, has some of the best col-  
ored wielders of the willow in Florida,  
and a lively season is anticipated.

#### If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-  
tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Sooth-  
ing Syrup, for children teething. It  
soothes the child, softens the gums,  
allays all pain, cures wind colic and is  
the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twen-  
ty-five cents a bottle.

#### A Handsome Desk.

Special Agent Antoine Paul of the  
United States general land office, who  
makes his headquarters in this city, is  
in receipt of a handsome roll-top desk,  
furnished by the department. The  
furniture is of golden oak, handsomely  
polished, with an abundance of drawer  
and pigeon-hole room, and the genial  
Captain is naturally very proud.

#### Still Remembers Gainesville.

L. Klein, at one time a prosperous  
merchant in this city, but who is now  
engaged in the brokerage business in  
Mobile, Ala., in making remittance  
for subscription to The Sun, says:

"Although I have not lived in your  
city for nearly six years, I still feel  
very much attached to the place and  
the people, and the brightness of The  
Sun. With best wishes to your valued  
paper and all inquiring friends,

"Yours very truly,

"L. KLEIN."

Mr. Klein's friends will be glad to  
know that he remembers them, and  
will be pleased also to learn that he is  
prospering in his Alabama home.

#### Book on California.

56 pages, 76 illustrations. Describes  
California and the route there. Chi-  
cago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Union  
Pacific and Southern Pacific Line.

This is the route of The Overland  
Limited. Leaves union passenger sta-  
tion, Chicago, 6:05 p. m. daily. Ar-  
rives San Francisco the third day in  
time for dinner. California book sent  
for six cents postage. F. A. Miller,  
general passenger agent, Chicago, or  
W. S. Howell, 381 Broadway, New  
York.

A Chicago Alderman Owes His Elec-  
tion to Chamberlain's Cough  
Remedy.

"I can heartily and conscientiously  
recommend Chamberlain's Cough  
Remedy for affections of the throat  
and lungs," says Hon. John Shenick,  
220 So. Peoria St., Chicago. "Two  
years ago during a political campaign,  
I caught cold after being overheated,  
which irritated my throat and I was  
finally compelled to stop, as I could  
not speak aloud. In my extremity a  
friend advised me to use Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy. I took two doses  
that afternoon and could not believe  
my senses when I found the next  
morning the inflammation had largely  
subsided. I took several doses that  
day, kept right on talking through the  
campaign, and I thank this medicine  
that I won my seat in the council." This  
remedy is for sale by all drug-  
gists.

#### Maine Blown Up Through Error.

New York, March 29.—That the bat-  
tleship Maine, through an error, was  
destroyed by a bomb of his manufac-  
ture, was the statement made by Ges-  
sier Rosseau in the toms prison to-  
day. Rosseau was convicted yester-  
day of having tried to explode the line  
pier in May, 1903.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

#### Eggs.

It is not only cigars that vary in name  
without varying in quality. The pre-  
sent writer was once told when hesitat-  
ing between "fresh eggs" at ten a  
shilling and "good breakfast eggs" at  
eight a shilling or something to that ef-  
fect that these two brands were pre-  
cisely the same, but had to be sold as  
two qualities because no customers  
would buy eggs at a shop where only  
one quality was advertised. That may  
or may not be so. The fact remains  
that there are many qualities of eggs  
known to all housewives before we get  
down to what a late comedian termed  
briefly "eggs."—London Chronicle.

#### Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality  
from appendicitis and peritonitis. To  
prevent and cure these awful diseases  
there is just one reliable remedy, Dr.  
King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery,  
14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says:  
"They have no equal for constipation  
and biliousness." 25c at druggists.

#### An Odd Whist Deal.

A curious hand at whist was dealt at  
Grimsby, England, recently. The cards  
were shuffled and dealt in the usual  
way, but when the players looked at  
their hands they found that one of  
them had twelve spades, another eleven  
hearts, the third man twelve dia-  
monds and the fourth eleven clubs.  
Spades were trumps.

#### A Safe Cough Medicine for Children.

In buying a cough medicine for chil-  
dren never be afraid to buy Cham-  
berlain's Cough Remedy. There is no  
danger from it and relief is always  
sure to follow. It is especially valu-  
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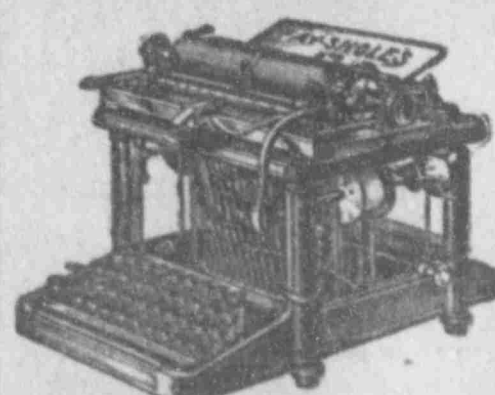
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## HEAD SPLIT OPEN WITH A HEAVY AX

Coroner's Jury Hold John Green  
for Murder of Wife.

SLAIN WHILE SHE SLEPT

Children of Green Testified Before Inquest That Their Father Struck Mother With Ax While She Was in a Deep Sleep.

Newberry, March 29.—Sallie Green, the woman who was chopped on the head with an ax at Commer's turpentine still, five miles east of here, died yesterday morning.

Justice E. T. Henderson was summoned to the scene to hold an inquest over the dead body. He summoned the following jury: Ira J. Carter, J. C. Fortson, T. J. West, J. M. Milton, W. S. Nabb and Tim Bailey, foreman, who rendered the following verdict:

"We, the jury, find that one John Green, on the 23d day of March, an assault did make upon Sallie Green, his wife, and a mortal wound did inflict, of which said mortal wound said Sallie Green died."

John Green, the husband, has been committed to jail without bail.

The parties have been married for some years, and have two grown children, who testified that their father did murder their mother by striking her on the head with an ax while she was asleep. Both parties are colored.

(Note—The above article is the same case referred to in The Sun of Tuesday, but there was a mistake in the name, the reporter having been misinformed. Green has been in jail here since Sunday.)

### THE NEWS FROM ALACHUA.

Work Progressing on Ice Factory Building—Notes of Personal Interest.

Alachua, March 29.—C. A. Williams left yesterday for Tampa, where he will be for some time in hopes of regaining his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Dell of Gainesville were in the city for a few hours Monday.

S. C. Dell spent Tuesday in Gainesville on business.

W. H. Traxler of Traxler was in the city Tuesday en route to Gainesville.

A. S. Johnson, the clever agent of the Seaboard Air Line at this place, is treating his pretty little residence to a coat of paint.

Work is progressing rapidly on the residence of R. A. Turner.

A number of our people are making fish baskets and preparing for the season's sport.

The work on the ice plant is going forward rapidly, and it is hoped will be in running order in thirty days. This is only one of the needed enterprises that is booked for Alachua.

The meeting looking toward incorporating the town of Alachua is only ten days off, and some are showing a good deal of enthusiasm. L. V. Rives, our merchant prince, is spoken of as a probable candidate for mayor.

LeRoy Pearce of the East Florida Seminary, Gainesville, was at home for a short time last week.

Rev. B. F. Mason preached two interesting sermons at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. R. S. Grey has purchased the millinery business of Mrs. G. S. Ramsey at Newberry, and has moved her family to that place. Mrs. Ramsey will devote her time to her millinery business at this place.

Mrs. Etheridge of Georgia has joined her husband, who is in the real estate business here. They are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. E. Stringfellow.

### NATURE SPARES

#### The Stricken Rose From Grief.

What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the rose of mental suffering; for how poignant would be its grief to discover, in the height of its blooming glory, that a canker fed at its heart, and that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store-house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the investigations of scientists the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that burrows into the hair follicles. Newbro's Herpicide absolutely destroys this germ, thus permitting the hair to grow as nature intended. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. J. S. Bodiford & Co., Special Agents

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From Ahar to Altar

(No. 6. Look for No. 5 next week.)



### Courtship

carries more passengers than all the other "ships" in the world. Some it carries into happiness and some are wrecked by the breakers over hidden rocks.

What a sunken reef is to a "ship" bad health is to the hope of happiness in Courtship.

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#### He Told the Truth.

An Irish gentleman had a splendid looking cow, but she kicked so much that it took a very long time and it was almost impossible to milk her, so he sent her to a fair to be sold and told his herdsmen to be sure not to sell her without letting the buyer know her faults. He brought home a large price which he had got for it. His master was surprised and said, "Are you sure you told all about her?" "Bedad, I did, sir," said the herdsmen. "He asked me whether she was a good milker. 'Begorra, sir,' says I, 'it's you'd be tired milking her.'"—Seventy Years of Irish Life.

#### The Dragon Tree.

The dragon tree (*Dracena draco*), which yields the astringent gum resin called dragon's blood, is an old settler of the Canary Islands. A veritable colossus of this family once grew in the town of Oranava, Tenerife, which was eighty feet in circumference at the base, hollow inside, with a staircase for visitors to ascend to the branching top of the trunk. Humboldt remarks that its antiquity must have been greater than that of the pyramids. This plant went down in a hurricane in 1867.

#### The Best Cough Syrup.

S. L. Apple, Ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c, \$1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

### TO ABSORB STREET RAILWAYS.

New York Central Seeks to Control City Railway Companies.

New York, March 29.—The report that the New York Central and Hudson river railroad has completed negotiations to absorb several Canadian street railway lines, between Buffalo and Toronto, and intends to construct a four-track electric road into Toronto, was denied today at the office of President Newman, of the New York Central, where it was said that the New York Central was not undertaking to secure possession of any street railways in Canada, neither directly or through any other corporation.

The report declared that the New York Central would absorb the Buffalo street railway, Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto railway, Hamilton Grimsby and Beamsville railway.

It also reported that the lines would be attempted to Detroit and Coburg.

### Railroad Issues \$100,000,000 in Bonds.

New York, March 29.—Reports that the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad company will issue \$100,000,000 or any like sum for extraordinary improvements to the system were denied today by Roswell Miller, chairman of the board of directors. About \$600,000 will be spent in extending the system in the Dakotas, but beyond this, according to Mr. Miller, no further improvements are under consideration.

#### Man Mangled by Train.

Nashville, March 29.—An unknown white man, about 22 years old, was killed by an L. & N. passenger train this morning near Lester Station, Tenn. He was asleep on the track. His head was horribly crushed and the left arm broken. He is believed to have been in the lumber business at Decatur, Ala.

#### Mistrial in Dickson Case.

Atlanta, March 29.—The jury in the damage suit of Mrs. Mary Glenn Dickson against the Georgia Railway and Electric Light company for \$100,000 damages, failed to agree, and a mistrial was declared. The jury remained out all night without reaching any verdict, and was discharged at 11:50 by Judge Reid.

#### Americans Salute Empress.

Messina, Italy, March 29.—The German imperial yacht Hohenzollern, with the Empress of Germany and Princess Eitel, Frederick and Oscar on board, arrived in the straits yesterday. An Italian squadron and numerous yachts, including the American steam yacht Venetia, with Morton Plant and party on board, rendered the customary honors.

George Frankland, formerly a well known newspaper editor of Chicago, is dead at his home in Caldwell, N. J., after a long illness. He was 54 years of age. The interment will take place at Oak Park, Ill., March 30.

#### Invaluable for Rheumatism.

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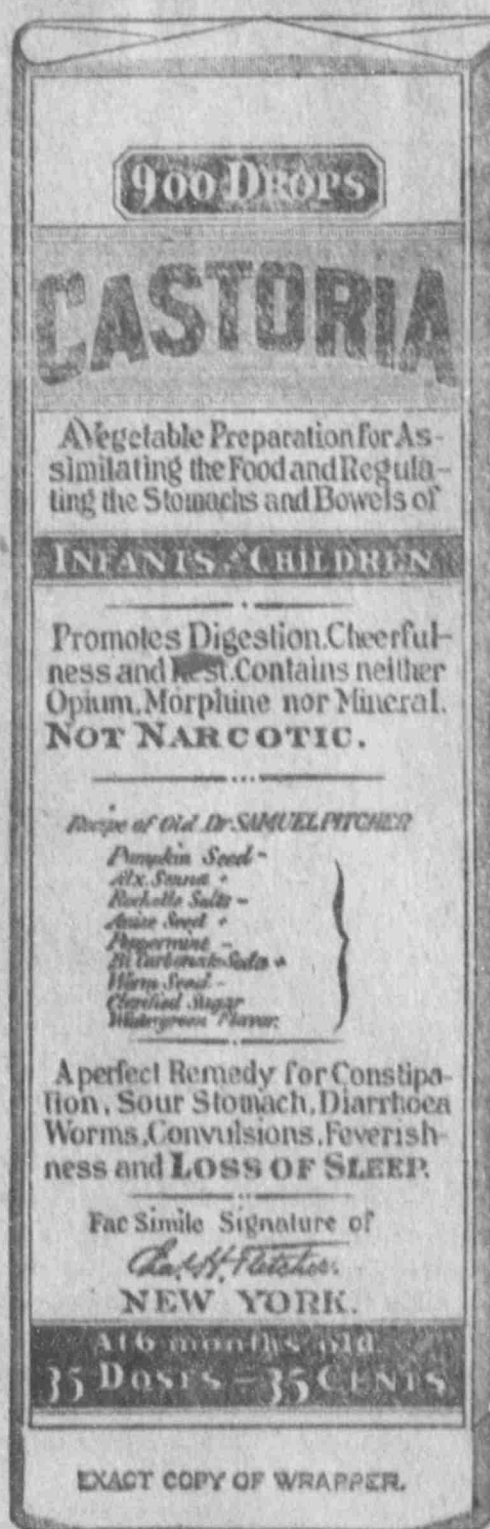
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Out in Kansas they call him John D. Robafeller.

Upwards of 3,000 private pension bills have been passed by the present Congress.

Mr. Rockefeller's weight is 200 pounds—or was before Kansas began to nag him.

The big stick that will most attract attention during the summer is the baseball bat.

Michigan Republicans have a holy horror of primary reform, or any other kind of reform.

When it comes to evading payments of bills President Castro can give Abdul Hamid points.

A bill has been presented in Congress to prevent divorced people from holding public office.

Perhaps Hawaii is ready for Statehood. One little postoffice on the island has been discovered short \$27,000.

The government, through the Civil Service Commission, has advertised for yardmasters, engineers and trainmen to go to Panama.

The wall comes from Manila that resident Americans won't go to church. Evidently the traveling Americans can't shake off home habits.

Nan Patterson, the actress who is charged with the murder of Caesar Young, will be up for third trial April 10, at New York. She should be set free.

The old idea of our grandmothers that a man and wife can live jointly on less than either of them can live separately, is not suited to our present method of living.

If the government would tax bachelors and give each woman to whom a child is born a pension, the race suicide problem might be solved. There is food for thought here.

Perserverance is all right in some instances; but the fellow who asked his wife four times before she would have him, says he would now be a free man if he had not been so persevering.

The sentence of Mrs. Chadwick to ten years in prison, being convicted on six counts, was the cause of her counsel taking exceptions, and the case will be carried to the United States Supreme Court.

The Japanese loan of \$150,000,000 has been taken by New York, Chicago and other capitalists of the United States. The bonds were offered for sale "when issued," and 90 was bid and 93 cents asked.

The Tampa Herald is nobly defending Governor Broward from the "criticisms by the State press;" but the State press is not criticising Governor Broward to any great extent that any one but The Herald is aware of. But The Herald has got it on hand and is bound to work it off in some manner.

## JAPAN.

In speaking of Japan and her resources, The Portland Oregonian says that the population of Japan is about 43,000,000—one-third that of Russia. But Japan has a homogeneous population and is near the seat of war. Her supply of men will not fail and her people are prepared for immense sacrifices. The spirit of her soldiery is splendid, as the fighting shows. Japan can furnish men enough. She can place more men at the seat of war than Russia can. Her main problem is the financial one; but herein she certainly has no more difficult problem than that which confronts Russia. Less difficult, probably.

But the recent developments in this country go to show that there is plenty of money in the United States to be had for Japan at a very low rate of interest, the bonds selling at or above 90 cents.

## TAKE THE MONEY.

The action of the Board of Missions of Boston in refusing the \$100,000 proffered it by John D. Rockefeller, seems a trifle queer. The dollars are honest enough, and although they may have been "wickedly accumulated," it is safe to wager that every voting member of that board had time after time voted to aid just such an accumulation of money. And there are no doubt many others who contribute large sums to the missionary fund, that have made their wealth through the manipulation of other processes that are no more right, morally, than the methods of the Standard Oil Company. If they had taken the money and used it to good advantage it would have been just as well, and left it to the All Wise to judge this man.

The closing of some of the fashionable hotels along the East Coast may lead some to believe that it is warm enough for invalids to return to their Northern homes. This is emphatically not the case. Those people have good reason for returning home early. They were well when they came here and only made the trip to blow what money they had. They have "blown" and must go. It won't be warm in the North for a month, or possibly six weeks. Hundreds have been caught in a storm by going North in May. A lady who has spent several winters in Gainesville remarked: "My ticket does not run out until the last of May, and I shall stay here just as long as I can on that ticket."

"The man who lives unto himself alone is a failure," says The Mason City Globe-Gazette. "He may pile up money, he may love his wife and family in that he is generous to them in their expenditures, he may support the churches and give to charitable purposes on demand, but the men who leave their impress upon a community are those who give that community abundant service and are not always creating the illusive mirage with the band wagon for the central attraction."

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Miss Mildred Lee, youngest daughter of Gen. Robt. E. Lee, died in New Orleans on Monday, March 27, while on a visit to Mrs. Wm. P. Johnson. Apoplexy was the cause of her death.

The Kansas Legislature has passed a law, and Governor Hoch has signed it, providing for separate high schools for whites and blacks in Kansas City.

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While the railroads of France are owned by companies, the charges for carrying freight are stipulated by the government, and the government control is far more exacting than anything ever proposed in this country. The public is satisfied and the railroad companies do not think of complaining. The continental countries hold that under modern conditions the railroad is in the same relation to the United States that the highway was a century ago.

The demand for hotel accommodations for next winter will be cause for much building in Florida this summer, and carpenters will find plenty of employment. As a winter resort it takes the lead of all other States in the Union, and as a health resort for the afflicted it has no equal.

## VALOR AND HEROISM.

Proof That the Real Brand of It Exists in South America.

"Every country has its heroes, and it is refreshing to read something of the heroic in the history of the countries south of us," said a thoughtful man. "In a history of South America attention is called to a number of things which tend to show that the popular estimate of valor and heroism in that section of the world may not be altogether the correct one. It is related that once the Peruvian monitor Huascar fought against three Chilean ships. "After both Admiral Grau and his flag lieutenant were killed Captain Aguirre took command, was killed, and then succeeded by Captain Carabajal, who was put hors de combat by a shell. The command devolved then on Lieutenant Rodriguez, who was killed; then on Lieutenant Palacios, who was disabled, and finally Lieutenant Gareyon, with the ship on fire, three feet of water in the hold and with a loss of half his officers and crew, was forced to strike his flag. On July 23, 1879, the Huascar was in action against the Chilean ship Abtao. Torpedoes at that time were not much understood, and one, being fired from the Huascar, through faulty mechanism returned back straight upon the ship. Seeing this and knowing that if the ship was struck she must sink, Lieutenant Diaz Caneas jumped overboard and in the water with his hands altered its course just before it came in contact with the ship."

## Tricked the Stamp Fiend.

Stamp collectors are delighted when they secure a specimen which was issued before some mistake in printing was detected. During the Buffalo exposition the government issued a stamp to commemorate the occasion which depicted the Empire express train. A practical joker cut out the central part of one of the stamps which contained the train and carefully replaced it so that the train was in an upside down position. This he pasted on an envelope and mailed it to a friend who was a rabid collector.

The practiced eye of the stamp fiend at once discovered the misplaced position of the train, but did not notice the deception, and the collector was almost wild with joy until he offered it for sale, when he was informed that it was not a "rare" but a "cut out" stamp be preserved.—New York Press.

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| Holland Gin.....                               | 2.80   | 4.25   | 7.25    |                                                    |                    |
| Geneva Gin.....                                | 3.75   | 5.00   | 9.50    |                                                    |                    |
| North Carolina Corn.....                       | 2.65   | 4.00   | 7.00    |                                                    |                    |
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| Eureka Malt.....               | 4.00   | 4.00                | 6.00        | 12.00      |          |
| Eureka N. C. Peach Brandy..... | 4.75   | 4.75                | 7.00        | 14.00      |          |
| N. C. Peach Brandy.....        | 3.25   | 3.25                | 4.85        | 9.70       |          |
| Eureka N. C. Corn.....         | 3.25   | 3.25                | 4.85        | 9.70       |          |
| Eureka N. C. Corn, XX.....     | 3.00   | 3.00                | 4.50        | 9.00       |          |
| Eureka N. C. Corn, XXX.....    | 2.75   | 2.75                | 4.15        | 8.30       |          |
| Eureka N. C. Corn, XXXX.....   | 2.50   | 2.50                | 3.75        | 7.50       |          |
| Old Crow Bourbon.....          | 4.50   | 4.50                | 6.75        | 13.50      |          |
| Hermitage Rye.....             | 4.50   | 4.50                | 6.75        | 13.50      |          |
| Sunny Brook Rye.....           | 3.75   | 3.75                | 5.65        | 11.30      |          |
| Sunny Brook Sour Mash.....     | 3.75   | 3.75                | 5.65        | 11.30      |          |
| Echo Spring.....               | 4.50   | 4.50                | 6.75        | 13.50      |          |
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## MR. CROM WILL BE OCALA'S POSTMASTER

Former Gainesville Man. Will  
Preside Over Ocala Office.

### CONFIRMATION CAME MONDAY

Hons. Robinson and Chubb, Republican Leaders Who Endorsed the Appointment, Won Victory Over Abundance of Opposition.

The appointment of George C. Crom to be postmaster of Ocala, which confirmation was made from Washington Monday, was received with a great deal of satisfaction by Hons. Walter Robinson and Henry S. Chubb of this city, chairmen of the Republican Congressional Committee and the Republican State Central Committee respectively. These gentlemen received information of the appointment Tuesday afternoon.

The term of the present incumbent, S. S. Groves, expired a year ago, since which time there have been several candidates after the plum, some among the number being very strongly endorsed by powerful influences outside of the State.

But Mr. Crom held the proverbial long pole, however, and secured the commission, full ripe. He had the endorsement of Messrs. Robinson, Chubb and J. N. Coombs of Apalachicola, national committeeman from Florida, and the Republican State organization, which the President sustained. Naturally these gentlemen feel very much elated.

Mr. Crom has been for several years general agent of the Atlantic Coast line at Ocala, one of the most important points on that line, in which capacity he enjoyed great success. He originally resided in Gainesville, and was here he married into one of the most prominent families in the State. He was connected with the Southern Express Company, and was quite popular. His success attracted the attention of high railroad officials, with the result that he was tendered a lucrative position by them, and was induced to make the change, since which time he has had rapid promotion. His fine executive ability, good judgment and personal popularity attracted the attention of the Republican leaders, Messrs. Robinson, Chubb and Coombs, and when the vacancy at the Ocala postoffice occurred they heartily endorsed him, and the appointment, which is one of the best in the State, followed.

If the Republican party and leaders under other Republican administrations had exercised as much care and good judgment as the present leaders in recommending such high-grade officials, the party might have been much stronger. President Roosevelt's advisors in Florida are certainly clean, honorable men, and are doing their very best for the interests of their party and their State.

**Strike Probable in Pittsburg.**  
New York, March 29.—Several hundred strike breakers, who came here to work on the Interborough lines are reported to have received postcards ordering them to be prepared to move to Pittsburg, at short notice should a strike become probable on the lines where the employees are demanding increased pay. The Interborough officials say that probably one-half of the original strike breakers are now in their employ.

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### MR. GRAVES BUYS PROPERTY.

Purchases a Hundred Acres Fine Timber Land Near Paradise.

Daniel Graves of Bradshaw, Nebraska, has demonstrated his faith in Florida to the extent that he has purchased from W. H. Palmer, agent, one hundred acres of timber and farming land about five miles from this city, near Paradise.

The land contains some of the finest timber in the county, suitable for turpentine and saw mill purposes. A portion of the land is cleared, and this Mr. Graves will no doubt let out to the farmers on shares. It is a valuable tract, and the new owner is to be congratulated.

Mr. Graves, who has been for some time with relatives in North Gainesville, expects to return to his Western home in a few days, but will visit this section earlier next season.

### SEARCHING FOR CONVICTS.

Posse with Bloodhounds Ae Close on Trail of Escaped Negroes.

Houston, March 29.—All day yesterday and last night posses with trained bloodhounds have been searching between the House plantation at Arcola, and Houston, for the 28 negro convicts who made their escape Sunday night.

So far three of them have been captured, and there are now 11 of the bunch somewhere in or about Houston. Every road leading into the city has been guarded closely. A farmer picked up one of them who was concealed in the bushes. A justice of the peace got two more off a freight train, and the captured men reported that there were 11 others on the train when it reached the junction, where it switched into the Houston belt line.

Reports from the bottoms indicate that none of the convicts went away, as the dogs have failed to strike a trail but one posse with good hounds started a few of the convicts toward Richmond, and it is believed these have been caught. The chase by the guards from the penitentiary have been a persistent one, but there is so much water in the small streams that the bloodhounds have often been at fault and have done little real good.

None of the convicts have shown fight. There has been considerable alarm among the people living in the country through which the fugitives would have to pass to reach Houston or to get away, and the men have stayed close to their homes with their dogs and guns to protect the women and children.

### No Break in Big Dam.

New York, March 29.—No break has yet occurred in the \$5,000,000 dam forming the new Croton reservoir which was menaced yesterday by a flood of water from the Great Croton watershed. Workmen are reinforcing the structure at all points of danger, and a patrol has been established to give immediate warning should a break threaten. The village of Croton Landing, with a population of 1,160, is 1 mile below. Yesterday, however, the gates were opened and the water was allowed to run into the Croton river. It is not believed today that there is any danger of collapse of the gates of the dam.

### Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Charles F. Lemberger of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gas over his eye, so I applied Bocklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 25c at all drug stores.

### NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

The United States transport Sumner, with the congressional party on board, arrived at Havana today from Santiago, Cuba.

Fire at Hanson, Ky., early today destroyed property valued at between fifty and a hundred thousand dollars, including churches, tobacco factories, business houses and residences.

The steamer Sadie Lee succeeded in releasing herself from the bar at Cairo, Ill., today after being grounded for several days. The rise in the Ohio brought sufficient water to float her.

Otis Botts, 21 years old, who was today at Peoria, Ill., found guilty of murdering his girl-wife and punishment fixed at death. The youthful defendant laughed as he left the court room. The crime was committed Jan. 5.

Governor General Wright today issued a proclamation announcing that the census of the Philippine Islands has been completed and that in two years, provided that peace prevails, an election would be called for a general assembly.

The high water in the Mohawk valley, New York, has greatly receded today. Traffic has been resumed on the New York Central railroad. Ice gorges at Fort Plain Canajoharie and Hoffman's remain intact, which means that the danger is not yet passed.

Northern Indiana merchants will engage detectives in the work of many silk robberies committed in the last two weeks. It is estimated that \$5,000 worth of silk has been stolen. Indiana officers believe a gang is operating out of Chicago and that the plunder is sold there.

Industrial dividends in April will be the largest for that month in years in accordance with the statistics compiled by the Journal of Commerce. The declaration thus far announced represented a total of \$23,910,503, which compares with \$23,594,691 in 1904, and \$19,872,919, in 1903.

According to a dispatch from Hodeida, Turkey, dated March 25, the town of Sanaa, capital of Yemen, province Arabia, was still holding out when the message was filed, but Yamagata Yerin and Aneysa, southward of Sanaa, and Hadiah to the northward, have fallen into the hands of the insurgents and the mountain fortress of Ibb was surrounded.



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## NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

Brief Happenings From Various Sections of State.

### THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS

Transpiring in "The Land of Flowers." Things "Boiled Down" to Suit the Busy Reader—Items of Interest to All Classes.

Nelson & Humphreys will start a cooerage plant at Live Oak.

Mrs. Ida Foss of Georgia is the new landlady of the Live Oak House.

St. Augustine will prepare to have more hotel room for next winter.

Jacksonville will probably have municipal ownership of street railways.

Lake City wants a board of trade. Tell Tommas Appleyard and he'll get it for you.

The Marion county hospital is still in need of funds to make the institution a success.

A very active hurricane did considerable damage in a portion of Suwannee county Friday.

The Southern Bell Telephone Company is having trouble at Tampa with miscreants cutting their cables.

The Seaboard Air Line will make many improvements at Tampa, and that city will be the southern terminal.

Three fires in "circumference" have kept the Tallahassee firemen quite busy. But the boys know how to work.

Tom Brown, a colored man of Jacksonville, was found dead in the rear of a livery stable, Tuesday. Heart trouble.

Tampa is harvesting its caterpillar crop that is found on all shade trees by spraying with chloro naphthol. It kills the pests.

Edward McClain of Detroit, Mich., representing one of the large jobbing houses of the West, has purchased five million cigars at Tampa.

A Miami lady is producing silk on quite an extensive scale, and in a few years the silk industry will be another added to Florida's long list.

The residence of Mrs. N. B. Foreman of Lake City, with contents, was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. Loss \$1,500. No insurance.

The G. A. R. encampment at St. Petersburg will be held Monday, April 10th. One-third the straight rate of

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fare will be charged. Tickets on sale April 8th.

The Tallahassee Daily Capital will be edited by the Woman's Club on April 10, and as the Legislature will be in session it would be a good plan to let some of the young members sell the papers.

While driving from Blythe Sunday Prof. J. W. Lyle and wife of Ocala were thrown from their buggy, breaking one of the Professor's legs and injuring the other. Mrs. Lyle escaped with slight injuries.

Capt. Charles Morris and Miss Beatrice McEwen of Port Inglis, chartered a launch, sailed to Cedar Key, where they were united in marriage on the launch and sailed back. A party of friends accompanied them.

Judge Bullock tried to blow up a stump at his residence in Ocala with powder. He thought the fuse had gone out, and getting near to put in a fresh fuse, the explosion took place, the powder pouring into his face and eyes. Fortunately his eyes were not seriously injured.

The bodies of the four persons drowned near Rockledge a few days ago have been recovered. The remains of W. O. Moore and daughter, Edith, were sent to Holyoke, Mass., and Mrs. Henry G. Miller to Amawalk, N. Y. Mr. Baldwin's body was buried at Georgiana.

### Champion Liniment for Rheumatism.

Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by all druggists.

### Saw Mill Men Meet.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 29.—Members of the Georgia Interstate Saw Mill association held a session today and took action on a number of matters important to the trade. One of these on advance through \$1 a thousand on merchantable. The committee appointed by the association to go to Tallahassee and appear before the railroad commission in the matter of rate reduction, arrived shortly before noon and announced that while no decision had been announced by the commission that the committee had hope that the compromise had been effected, and that commission would announce partial reductions in a few days.

### Cured Consumption.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Charwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by W. N. Johnson.

### TO INVESTIGATE DISEASE.

Unknown Malady in Epidemic Form Attacks Hawaiians.

Honolulu, March 29.—The International steamer Likiep, chartered by the territorial government, has left for Pelekuni valley on Molokai, carrying Army Surgeon Vest, eight men of the hospital corps and two nurses. It is a relief expedition sent out on account of reports of an epidemic in the form of an unknown disease believed to be typhoid fever. Eight deaths have already taken place, and there are other cases. There is no doctor on the entire island, outside of the practically inaccessible leper settlement. The population of the valley is small and consists entirely of natives. Many have left since the sickness began.

A. C. L. Atkinson, secretary of the territorial government, accompanied the expedition.

One report made to Governor Carter, which is being investigated suggests poisoning, and says there is a native poison tree in the valley and that the deaths result from a feud.

### The Colonel's Waterloo.

Col. John M. Fuller of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo from liver and kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says: "I was nearly dead of these complaints, and although I tried my family doctor he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure dyspepsia, biliousness and kidney disease by all druggists, at 50c a bottle.

### Hanged Himself in Stable.

Sunset, Ala., March 29.—The body of J. Y. Sparrow, a prominent planter, was found hanging in his stable. The dead man, who was 75 years of age, has recently lost two sons by tragic deaths on a railroad, one having been a conductor and the other an engineer, and this is supposed to have preyed on his mind, causing his deed.

### Large Fire in Mississippi Town.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 29.—Sixteen buildings, 14 residences, a drug store and a grocery were destroyed by fire at Walters last night. The estimated loss is \$50,000; insurance \$20,000. Walters is a village 2 miles north of this city.

## Convulsion, Fits, then Epilepsy.

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"Mr. Greeley came home every year and after a day or two on the farm would start out to walk miles and call on people. He was never known to knock at a farmhouse door. No matter whether he knew the inmates or not he would push open the door, walk right in, sit down by the fireplace and fall to discussing crops and other topics dear to the farmer's heart. Everybody was glad to welcome this gentle, brusque intruder."

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### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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To the Voters of Gainesville:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of marshal, subject to the action of the citizens of Gainesville at the coming municipal election. I leave my case in their hands. If I have discharged my duty as marshal in the past, I ask their indulgence and their votes in future. If they do not think I have discharged my duty, then it rests with them. I will appreciate support, however, and promise as long as in the office to show partiality to no one. Respectfully,  
CHAS. PINKSON.

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To the Voters of Gainesville:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of marshal, subject to the action of the voters of Gainesville at the coming municipal election. Have always been a loyal Democrat, am always ready to render my aid and influence in support of right and justice, and if elected promise a fair and honest service, without fear or favor. Respectfully,  
D. A. ROBERTSON.

#### For Marshal.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Marshal of the City of Gainesville, and solicit the support of all the voters of said city at the coming election of city officers.

If elected, I promise to give to all the people a vigorous and impartial exercise of the duties pertaining to that office. Respectfully,  
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Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the State of Florida, at its session in A. D. 1905, for a new charter, or amended charter, for the City of Gainesville.

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## JURIES IN GERMANY

THEY ARE ONLY PERMITTED TO ACT IN CRIMINAL CASES.

Unanimous Vote Is Not Required in Finding a Verdict; Only a Majority of Two-Thirds Is Necessary. Jurors Serve Without Pay.

It may not be generally known that under the original constitution of the United States provision is made for the trial of criminal cases by jury, but not of civil cases. This in 1789 caused dissatisfaction, the people claiming that the omission was intended to abolish trial by jury in civil cases, and the seventh amendment was soon adopted, securing the rights of trial by jury in cases at common law where the value in controversy shall exceed \$20.

In many countries juries decide by a majority. In France since 1831 a majority of two-thirds is required. This is also in Germany, where the operation of the institution is so complicated and withal so interesting that it is especially valuable to note some of the methods adopted in the land of the Kaiser to secure justice and protect the rights of the accused.

According to German law, trial by jury is limited to criminal procedure in cases within the competence of a single court composed of three judges and twelve jurors. The juror receives pay for his services, because the office of juror is an honorary one.

Many classes of persons are excluded from jury service. Among these may be mentioned not only such persons as have suffered a criminal judgment or who are on trial on criminal charges, but such also as are restricted in the use of their property by judicial decree.

The law enumerates also certain classes of persons who ought not to be summoned for jury service and who are meant to be excluded, but whose presence on a jury does not of itself necessarily invalidate a verdict. In this group are persons under thirty years of age, persons who within three years have received support from public charities for themselves or their families and persons who are employed as servants.

A great many people are as a special privilege exempt from jury service in Germany. These include officials, persons employed in a public capacity in the service of religion, persons in active military service and teachers in public schools, but attorneys are not numbered among these so privileged. Physicians, however, and apothecaries who have no assistants, persons above sixty-four years of age and persons who show that they are unable to bear the expense of this unpaid jury service are among the privileged.

The basis of the list from which the jury is selected is a list of persons who are eligible to service as lay members of local courts. None of these lay members serves more than five days in a year, and this provides a large list for jury selection.

The presiding official in each commune must each year prepare a list, which is exhibited for public inspection for one week, at the end of which time the unprotested names are sent to a judge in the district to which the commune belongs.

Eventually from each "year list" are selected thirty jurors who constitute what is known as the "verdict list." In any given case these thirty jurors are brought before the president of the court, who tells them the name of the accused and the nature of the offense.

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charged. The names of the thirty jurors are written on tickets which are placed in an urn, from which the final twelve jurors are drawn by lot. There may be as many challenges as the names in the urn exceed twelve.

One or more persons may be drawn by lot to act in the place of regular jurors in the event of the disability of any of the latter. They sit in the case, take part in the trial, ask questions if necessary, but assist in rendering a verdict only in case any of the regular jurors be suddenly incapacitated.

The jury determines the degree as well as the fact of guilt and is in no wise bound by the instruction of the presiding judge as to whether a given act falls within the definition of a crime under the law.

The jurors elect their own foreman, but only after they have retired to the jury room to agree upon a verdict. A unanimous vote is not required in finding a verdict. Only a majority or two-thirds is necessary—that is, if the vote is seven for conviction and five for acquittal the defendant is acquitted; if it is eight to four he is convicted.—Boston Globe.

## "Pedigree" of "Fog."

If any Londoner crawling up to business by train or tram through the fog turned his idle mind to wondering why it was called "fog" he would probably decide that it could not have been called anything else. "Fog" is its obvious name. Yet there is much speculation among philologists on this point. Dr. Murray's dictionary suggests an interesting pedigree. As far back as the fourteenth century "fog" meant after-grass, the rank grass that sprang up after hay harvest or grew in the winter, while in the north it meant moss. Then "foggy" came to mean boggy. Next it was used to mean bloated or puffy of the flesh of men or animals, and finally, as applied to air or air, it meant thick, and our modern fog was derived back from this "foggy." Skeat, however, goes straight to the Danish "fog," as in "snow fog," a snowstorm, from "fyge," to drift. The worst of London fogs is that they do not drift fast enough.—London Chronicle.

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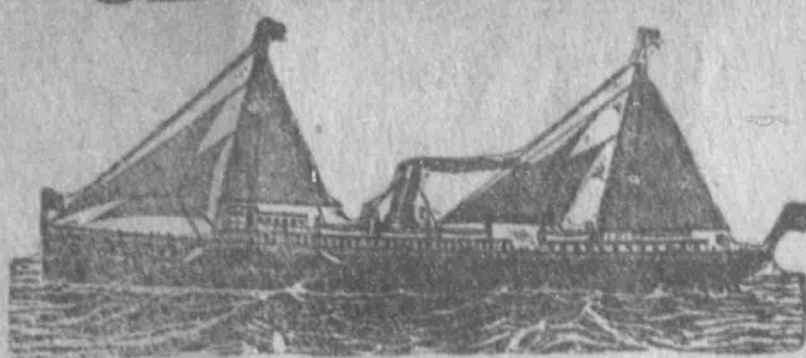
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## NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

### Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

#### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

**What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.**

Ladies' calling cards in latest styles at Sun office.

Miss Pennington paid Windsor a visit yesterday.

Hot and cold baths at all hours at Ice Factory. d3t

Simonson's Wonderful Salve for sale by J. W. McCollum & Co.

For Rent—Offices over Chitty's store. Inquire R. H. Porter.

A. M. Cushman made a brief business trip to High Springs yesterday.

Attorney C. C. Thomas of Starke is in the city on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray of Rochelle were among the visitors to this city yesterday.

Attorney Evans Haile departed yesterday for Starke on professional business.

C. W. McDonald, the trucker of Rocky Point, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Taylor is spending a few days delightfully as the guest of Mrs. Fred W. King in Jacksonville.

For Sale—White Plymouth Rock eggs, \$1 per setting of thirteen. C. W. McDonald, Rocky Point, Fla. d6t

M. M. Clyatt, one of the progressive merchants of Otter Creek, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

A. L. Reeder, representing the Jesse J. French Piano and Organ Company, went yesterday to Ocala on business for his firm.

The flavoring extract makes or mars the cake. If you always use Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla you'll be certain to secure perfect results.

Friends of Mrs. Griffith, who has been indisposed for the past few days, will be pleased at the information that she is enabled to be out again.

W. R. Steekert of the land department Cummer Lumber Company, has returned from Jacksonville, where he has been for the past week on business.

C. J. Mixson has accepted a temporary position as cutter at the market of Carter & Anderson. He is relieving Mr. Gandy, who is suffering with a bone felon.

R. G. Bass, the merchant of High Springs, was in the city for a short time yesterday. He was en route home from Reddick, where he has been on a visit to his mother.

Sam Leonard, traveling representative of the Southern Fruit and Produce Company, Jacksonville, departed yesterday for Ocala and other points in the interest of his firm.

F. Marion Ramsey of Wacahoota was trading in the city yesterday. He states that the movement of vegetables, especially peas, beans and lettuce, is quite heavy just now.

The windows of Sternberger & Phillips' office have been decorated with handsome sign work. The work was executed by the firm's own painters, and is as handsome as any in this section.

Julius Hodges of Cedar Key was transacting business in Gainesville yesterday. He reports the fish and oyster business lively in the Gulf town just now. The season has been a most profitable one.

Mrs. Reed of Washington, who has large property interests at Cedar Key, and who is spending a season there, favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday. Mrs. Reed is well known both here and in Cedar Key, being a daughter of the late General Yulee.

Janitor Moses Sherman of the court house is one of the most industrious of his race. Moses prizes the court house lawn very highly, and loses no opportunity to beautify the same. When he is not busy at his other duties he devotes his time to keeping the grass well mowed and the hedges neatly trimmed.

Misses Katie and Elizabeth Budd, two charming young ladies of Monticello who have been here on a visit to their aunt, Mrs. Rachael Haile, returned to their home yesterday. These young ladies are very popular here, and were the recipients of many courtesies, among them being a complimentary house party on the old Haile homestead at Kanapaha, tendered by Evans Haile.

Several swarms of Italian honey bees for sale cheap. C. I. Baird.

T. B. Ellis, Jr., went yesterday to Windsor on professional business.

B. B. King of Ocala and J. B. Murillo of Jacksonville were registered at the Brown House yesterday.

Wanted—Good blacksmith and general mill repair man. Address T. J. Cone, Raleigh, Fla. 4d1tw.

J. W. Chamberlain of Tacoma and Messrs. Thompson and Deen of Island Grove, were in the city yesterday.

If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

Mrs. W. S. Banks and daughter, Miss Ada, departed yesterday for Green Cove Springs, where they will visit relatives and friends.

City Taxes become delinquent April 1. The time is short. Pay today and save trouble and expense. T. B. Ellis, Collector. d-18t.

C. M. McKinney, a prosperous planter, all-round clever citizen and good friend of The Sun, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

W. A. Jones has returned from Otter Creek, where he was called upon the sad mission of attending the funeral of his mother, which was held Tuesday. Friends here extend sympathy.

J. A. Phifer went yesterday to High Springs on business. Mr. Phifer states that the firm of Phifer & Phifer, New York Racket, High Springs, composed of H. L., S. B., W. B. and J. A. Phifer, propose to close out that business as soon as possible.

Jefferson Hodges of Port Tampa has returned to his home, after a brief visit to his brother, Dr. J. Harrison Hodges, and sister, Mrs. E. M. Walton, here. Mr. Hodges is engaged in the postal clerk service between Port Tampa, Key West and Havana.

L. J. Brumby, traveling representative of The Sun, was in the city for a short time yesterday, having come to "report." Mr. Brumby, who is one of the greatest advertising and newspaper hustlers in Florida, reported a good business during the past week.

Hon. L. W. Blanton of Perry, one of the efficient representatives in the Legislature, lower house, from Taylor county, has returned to his home, after a visit here on business connected with the United States land office. Col. Blanton is vice-president of the Abstract and Realty Company of Perry.

Jesse Clark, the hustling and successful traveling representative of the H. W. Roundtree Trunk and Bag Company of Richmond, has returned to this city, after an extended tour covering the States of Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas and other States. He reports the farmers and the people generally in the sections visited in a prosperous and contented mood, and that he enjoyed one of the most successful trips in his career as a salesman.

Master John R., the four-year-old son of W. O. McLain of Lauraville, who was brought here some time ago for medical treatment, is rapidly improving, and the physician expects to discharge the case in a few days. The little fellow was suffering from stricture of the throat, caused by the accidental swallowing of concentrated lye. The boy secured a can of lye and drank part of the contents. He was in a critical condition for some time, but by skilled medical attention a recovery is now assured.

### READ THIS.

Lexington, Tenn., June 5, 1901.

This is to certify that about March last I suffered intensely with my back and kidneys. Just prior to this I had undergone treatment for bladder trouble and was relieved, except the treatment was followed by the above trouble. It was recommended that I try "Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery." I took one dose on retiring at night, and to my agreeable astonishment, I found myself relieved. One dose did the work. There is no bosh about this. It is wonderful.

Respectfully,

C. R. Scott, Proprietor Scott House, formerly county chief clerk, postmaster, etc.

### A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

## Before You Insure Your Life

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... WITH ...  
W. B. HIGDON Special  
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GAINESVILLE, FLA.

The Carmichael and Son Company in Ocala, the largest shippers of wines, liquors and beer in Florida, are making special efforts for the purpose of increasing their mail order trade, and have just gotten out a very handsome new price list which will be sent on application. Their reputation, both as to quality of goods and prompt shipments, are known to many satisfied customers in Gainesville and Alachua county.

C. E. Howard and sister, Mrs. W. G. Stewart, and two children, Josephine and Garrett, after spending the season delightfully at the elegant Howard home, East Gainesville, expect to make their departure today for their home in Pittsburg. These are elegant, hospitable people, and have many friends here who are delighted each season to welcome them, and sorry to see them leave.

After spending nearly four months in this city at the home of Mrs. Garrett, West Court street, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jones and daughter, Miss Amelia, expect to make their departure for their Long Island, N. Y., home this morning. They were all delighted with Gainesville and its people, Mr. Jones remarking that it was one of the cleanest, prettiest, healthiest and most hospitable inland towns he had ever visited. Friends hope to see them again next season.

## NEW YORK RACKET

CHEAPEST STORE ON EARTH

Full line of McCall's PATTERNS now in stock. The simplest, best pattern made, 10 and 15 cents . . . . .

### Men's Straw Hats

Watch our window display. Magnificent line at matchless prices. Now is the time to get a Spring Hat.

### Ladies' Skirts

The swellest line we have yet had. Call and see them.

Ladies' Fancy Belts, Combs and Collars; the Latest and Newest.

Spring Goods in Great Variety.

Phifer Bros  
Phifers' Corner.

### CASH GROCERY COMPANY.

This Firm is Enjoying Fine Trade, Which Increases Every Day.

If there is one particularly successful grocery firm in Gainesville, from all appearances that is the Cash Grocery Company, of which J. R. Emerson is manager. This firm, composed of Emerson & Simpson, began business here about three months ago on a strictly cash basis, with a view of selling to the consumer upon this basis at from twenty to thirty per cent cheaper than the grocer who charged goods upon his books and came out at the end of each year with several hundred dollars dead accounts. "By the cash system we can afford to sell our goods cheaper and give the customer the benefit," remarked Manager Emerson. "We have no dead accounts to make the good customers pay in extra profits, and furthermore we save the expense of a bookkeeper's salary. That's the reason we can afford to sell goods a great deal cheaper—and in the end we make as much profit as the fellow who charges goods and loses principal, profit and the whole business in many instances. The good customers who pay promptly are the fellows who have to 'pay the freight.'"

A traveling man, in speaking of the firm and its success yesterday, stated that he sold the Cash Grocery a great many goods—in fact, the majority of what they used. "They are close buyers," he said, "but there is one thing about them, they will have nothing but the very best goods on the market. When a fellow tries to push inferior goods on Manager Emerson he will get left every time—and Mr. Emerson knows a piece of goods when he sees it, too."

#### Antique Case.

Attorneys Hatcher and Figuers, C. B. Gracy and Attorney Figuers' stenographer, Miss Lura Landrum, of Columbia, Tenn., who have been in the city for the past two days taking depositions in a famous contest case in which Gainesville people have figured conspicuously, returned to their Tennessee home yesterday.

The case in question involves a great deal of land, a valuable estate upon which there is a contest in division. The depositions were in regard to parties interested in a divorce suit of R. Gracy vs. Francis E. Gracy, granted in the court of Alachua county about fifteen years ago.

#### Ellis is Busy.

City Tax Collector Ellis is one of the busiest men in the city at present, but he does not object to that, since he is collecting taxes—and he is never so happy as when rolling up the money for the city treasury.

Collector Ellis' collections are running well each day. Tuesday he managed to gather in \$1,000, and yesterday was almost as good.

The books will positively close on April 1, and delinquents will govern themselves accordingly.

#### Tuesday Night Scrap.

There was a "scrap" between Buster Tillman and another colored boy in the vicinity of the Seaboard Air Line station at a late hour Tuesday night, in which "Buster," true to his illustrious title, "busted" the other fellow's head with a rock.

Tillman succeeded in making his escape, and so far has eluded the officers.

#### North Gainesville Musicales.

There was a delighted musicale at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weber, North Gainesville, Tuesday evening. A large number of the young people and many elder ones of that thriving burg were present and enjoyed the hospitality of the Weber household for a couple of hours.

Our labor contract saves possible loss from advances made to employees. Price: 50 or less by mail, 3½ cents each; \$3 per hundred; cash with order. THE SUX, Gainesville, Fla. daw

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New Gingham That Wash.

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New Spring Dress Goods in all the latest weaves.

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Our entire stock of Rugs from the smallest size up to 9x12 ft. size will be offered this week at 25 per cent discount.

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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

## RUSSIA READY FOR PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

This Information Is Obtained  
On Reliable Authority.

### JAPS PRESSING RUSSIAN ARMY

Mikado's Men Moving Forward.—The Japanese are clearing the battlefield of Mukden and collecting the stores and munitions Russians left.

London, March 28.—5:42 p. m.—A telegram from a north European capital received here at noon today says: "I have just learned on reliable authority that Russia has asked M. Delcasse to act as an intermediary and open peace negotiations with Japan. Delcasse has signified his willingness, but considers that Lansdowne's co-operation is essential to success."

### Japanese Moving Forward.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, March 29.—The Japanese are again moving forward and the Russian rear guard has fallen back from its position about 13 miles north of Sipinghai (74 miles north of Tie Pass) to Chaomiaozi, which is situated 40 miles below Gunshu Pass.

Practically complete reports show that the Russian army sacrificed general commissariat stores to the amount of \$1,250,000 and stores for an army corps amounting to \$500,000 held at Mukden most of it being set on fire, the boots and uniforms among the stores, of which the whole army was in need, arriving from Europe four days before the Russian retirement from Mukden. General Kuropatkin ordered the removal of the stores, but his order was not executed. An investigation will be made to establish the responsibility.

### Japs Clearing Battle Field.

With the Japanese Left Army in the Field, March 28, 11 a. m., via Fusan.—The Japanese army near Mukden is clearing the battlefield, sorting the enormous quantities of stores and materials captured and attending to the prisoners.

Engineers and others are repairing the railroad bridge across the Hun river, which was badly damaged by the Russians. Trains are now running to the Hun river. They will reach Mukden in a few days. The weather is very warm and the ground is thawing rapidly, making the movement of guns and transport wagons difficult.

### Russia Has Pile of Gold.

London, March 29.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of the Daily Mail reports that he accepted the invitation of Finance Minister Kokovosoff to inspect the reserves of gold in the State bank, and describes his visit to that institution. He says: "The actual view of \$325,000,000 of gold was found supremely unimpressive, tedious and depressing. Over 12,500 sacks of gold coin stacked in rows looked no more impressive than sacks of merchandise, while 15,913 gold ingots closely packed on shelves like a library less suggested their value than the shelves of an ironmonger's store."

### Mother Murders Her Children.

Paducah, Ky., March 29.—Mrs. Mary Brookwell, whose three children, aged 3, 4 and 5 years, died from poisoning under suspicious circumstances, last Saturday, broke down and confessed she had killed them by giving them morphine and coal oil. The woman said that her husband was in an asylum, and that she could not support the children. She also stated that George Albertson promised to marry her if she would get rid of the children. Albertson was arrested as an accessory.

### Train Wrecked Near Andrews, N. C.

Atlanta, March 29.—A Southern railway passenger train was derailed late last night near Andrews, N. C., with the result of injuring several persons, two, it is reported, seriously. The injured were taken by special train to Mercer, where they were cared for. The superintendent and roadmaster went from Asheville to the scene of the wreck.

### VENEZUELA CAN PAY DEBTS.

President Castro Says Attack of American Press Is Unwarranted.

New York, March 29.—President Castro has reiterated, according to a Herald dispatch from Caracas, his statements on the matter, is no ground for complaint against Venezuela and no reason for intervention. He declares that attacks by the American press against his country and government indicate complete ignorance of the facts concerning the debts of Venezuela and the settlements thereof. The debts are relatively small, the whole amount not exceeding \$30,000,000.

All those debts have, the statement continues, been punctually paid since the protocol was signed. Nearly \$1,000,000 was peremptorily claimed by Germany, England and Italy, and paid. Since then \$2,200,000 more has also been paid, representing 30 per cent of the duties. The other (exterior) debts held in England and Germany, are, according to the provisions of the protocols, being settled between the bond holders and Venezuela.

The country has paid and will continue to pay, the president concluded, as stipulated in the protocols which Minister Bowen arranged.

### WILL CHURCH ACCEPT GIFT?

Is the Question that Is Now Before the Board of Foreign Missions.

Boston, March 29.—The question of accepting or rejecting John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$100,000 to the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, was the principal business scheduled to come before the meeting of the president, and the committee of the organization today.

The widespread discussion which followed the formal action taken by congregational clergymen in various parts of New England last week in protesting against the acceptance of the gift because of objections to the alleged business methods of the Standard Oil company created interest in today's meeting.

Dr. James L. Barton, foreign secretary of the American board, said today that already \$41,500 of the gift was in the treasury, and the question to be decided at today's meeting was, therefore, that this amount should be returned or that it should be retained and the balance accepted.

### CRY OF FIRE CAUSES PANIC.

Blaze in Shirt Factory Causes Consternation Among Girl Employees.

New York, March 29.—A trifling blaze caused by the ignition of a newspaper from a spark from an electrical apparatus in the shirtwaist factory of Max Roth, which occupies the five upper floors of a 6-story building in Walker street today, started a panic among the 300 girls employed there. There is but one exit, besides the fire escapes, this being a narrow stairway leading from all the floors. When the cry of fire was raised the girls crowded down the stairway, falling over and trampling upon each other, and before all were out a dozen of them had fainted from fright and slight injuries.

The panic was increased by the contact of some of the men employed, who trampled upon the women in their own haste to escape. One girl's hip was fractured.

### Prisoner Burns to Death.

Birmingham, Ala., March 29.—A special to the News from Warrior, Ala., says that Thomas Blackburn, a well known farmer of that place, had been burned to death in a cell in the town jail by a fire of his own making in an attempt to escape from prison. The fire was discovered too late to save the man, although the cell was broken open with axes and sledge hammers and the burning man dragged out. Blackburn was a brother of City Marshal Blackburn. He had been arrested for drunkenness.

### Two Killed by Missed Shot.

Cumberland, Md., March 29.—Stephen Baldock and Seap Neveonick were killed and several fellow workers were injured on the Wabash extension at Okonoke yesterday. The men were working with a blast, which had been set Friday and which failed to explode. While ramming more powder in the hole, the blast exploded with terrific force.

## COTTON REPORT OF THE CENSUS BUREAU

Thirteen and One Half Million  
Bales of Cotton Raised.

### AMOUNT RAISED IN EACH STATE

Bulletin Shows Number of Square and Round Bales, Including Linters—Condition of the Cotton Market at New Orleans.

Washington, March 29.—The census bureau today issued a bulletin showing the total crop of cotton for the season of 1904 to be 13,597,782 bales.

These figures include linters and count round bales as half bales, and the total is equivalent to 13,484 bales of 500 pounds. The square bales numbered 13,103,477, the round bales 269,161, the sea island bales 103,317, the linters 241,942. Total running bales including linters, 13,745,857. Included in these totals are 192,275 running bales and estimated by ginneries as remaining to be ginner.

The total crop of running bales for 1903 was 10,399,558.

The distribution of the crop of 1904, according to the character of the bales and of cotton, was as follows:

Square bales (upland crop) reported from ginneries, 13,103,477.

Round bales (upland crop) reported from ginneries, 269,161.

Bales of sea island cotton reported from ginneries, 103,317.

Bales of linters reported from cotton seed oil mills, 241,942.

The figures for the different states on running bales were:

Alabama, 1,458,966; Arkansas, 883,967; Florida, 86,642; Georgia, 1,960,151; Indian Territory, 476,984; Kansas, 14; Kentucky, 1,922; Louisiana, 1,105,466; Mississippi, 1,738,639; Missouri, 98,156; North Carolina, 744,304; Oklahoma, 341,497; South Carolina, 1,189,134; Tennessee, 316,790; Texas, 3,134,677; Virginia, 17,216.

### New Orleans Market.

New Orleans, March 29.—Though the census bureau report even exceeded the limit fixed by the bears as the estimate of the cotton crop, the local market withstood the effect of the issuance of the report, and went up instead of down. At one time both May and July were 6 points up and at noon all the months were at an advance of 2 points. The market was not active, and 30 minutes after it was read the pit was deserted.

### ALLEGED TREASURER IS SHORT.

City Official of Florida Town Is Under Serious Charges.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 29.—City Treasurer Ball, of Orange Park, 14 miles from Jacksonville, on St. Johns river, resigned at the last meeting of the Orange Park council, and upon investigation it was found that he was short in his accounts. It is not known at this time what the amount of his alleged shortage is. He is said to have tendered a check for the balance due the city to his successor, but later confessed that he had no funds in the Jacksonville bank, on which the check was drawn.

Ball was formerly postmaster at Orange Park, and was arrested some time since for embezzlement of government funds, and is now out on bond awaiting trial at the April term of the federal court, which convenes in Jacksonville this week.

### Soldier Falls Heir to \$200,000.

Burlington, Vt., March 29.—After serving a year in Troop I, Fifteenth cavalry, at Fort Ethan Allen, Leon H. DeGraff, son of the late Leon DeGraff, of the firm of DeGraff & Taylor, of New York, and grandson of H. P. DeGraff, former president of the Bowery bank, has received word that he is heir to an estate valued at about \$200,000. Influential friends have obtained his discharge from the army, and he will go to New York to engage in the real estate business. DeGraff enlisted in the army because of discontent in school. He recently lost the position of troop clerk because he was absent without leave.

### WOMAN GETS TEN YEARS.

Mrs. Chadwick Is Sentenced—Her Lawyers Make Appeal.

Cleveland, O., March 29.—Unless the higher court interferes Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick will spend the greater part of the next ten years in the Ohio penitentiary.

A sentence of ten years was imposed on her by Judge Robert W. Taylor in the United States district court yesterday. The sentence came at the close of a busy day for the court in hearing arguments on a motion for a new trial which lasted all day. The motion was overruled.

Mrs. Chadwick was convicted on seven counts and sentenced upon six counts. For four of these counts a sentence of two years each was imposed. Upon two counts a sentence of one year each was imposed, making a total sentence of ten years.

As soon as the sentence was pronounced Attorney J. P. Dawley, of counsel for Mrs. Chadwick, took exceptions to the sentence upon each count except the first count. The defense intends to make the claim that the court cannot impose a separate sentence for each count.

### BOY KILLED WHILE HUNTING.

Alabama Youth Meets Tragic Death While Out Shooting.

Columbus, Ga., March 29.—Burrell Ruggs, the 15-year-old son of J. B. Ruggs, of Girard, Ala., was accidentally in the swamps of the Uchee creek a few miles west of the city, yesterday morning.

He and George Roberts, a friend, had planned a day's hunting, and started out early in order to be on the scene by daylight.

Young Ruggs was carrying his gun and an ax, and in walking through the dense woods stumbled over a log, dropping his gun. Both barrels were discharged, the charge taking effect in his chest, killing him instantly.

His comrade, who was ahead of him carrying a lantern, heard a faint cry when Ruggs fell, but he was dead when he reached him.

### SEVERAL KILLED IN TORNADO.

Minnesota Town In Ruins and Much Property Is Destroyed.

St. Paul, Minn., March 29.—A report reached this city last night that the little town of Louisville, in the extreme western portion of the state, had been practically wiped out by a tornado, and that seven persons had been seriously injured. It was also stated that from two to seven were killed; but up to a late hour it has been impossible, owing to lack of telegraph facilities, to verify the latter statement.

Louisburg is a town of about 100 inhabitants in Lac Qui Parle county, and has neither telephone or telegraph connection with the outside world. Reports from nearby towns, however, state that three store buildings were entirely demolished and that every residence in the town was more or less damaged.

### Big Tunnel Now in Use.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 29.—The first engine passed through the big Louisville and Nashville tunnel at Dossett station, and there is apparently no reason why trains cannot begin running on regular schedule over the Cincinnati-Atlanta line on April 1. Freight service will then be inaugurated and passenger trains will be started by April 15. The Dossett tunnel is three-quarters of a mile in length and has been a difficult one to build owing to the sandy nature of the soil and underground streams of water which were struck in its construction.

### Speaker of House Now Governor.

Nashville, Tenn., March 29.—The right of speaker of the senate, John I. Cox, to exercise the functions of governor, has been questioned by the legislature and attorney general Cate was asked for an opinion on the subject. General Cate gave an opinion today in favor of Mr. Cox. The supreme court held that they were precluded by constitutional limitations from delivering an advisory opinion on the question of gubernatorial succession. Senator Cox will exercise the functions of governor for the term to which ex-Governor Frazier was elected.

## GIGANTIC SCHEME OF COUNTERFEITING

Secret Service Men Locate Big  
Gang In Denver.

### BEST IMITATIONS EVER FOUND

They Made \$10 and \$20 Bills of the Buffalo Series—Their Field of Operation Has Been the Entire United States. Description of the Counterfeit.

Denver, March 29.—The News today says that a counterfeiting scheme, gigantic in its proportions and rich in results which has its field the whole of the United States, has just been unearthed by the federal authorities.

A number of government secret service agents are now in Denver following clues which are said to have led them to believe that the headquarters of the gang are located in this city.

The operations of the counterfeiters are said to extend all the way from New York to San Francisco and it is believed something like \$50,000 has been secured in the larger cities of the country. The counterfeit is one of the best duplicates of the Buffalo series of \$10 and \$20 bills which has ever come to the attention of the federal authorities. A description of the counterfeit as furnished by the United States secret service follows:

Series, 1901, No. 29,513,972; face plate 159, back plate 87, check letter D, signed Lyons, register; Roberts, treasurer; portraits of Lewis and Clark.

The counterfeiters are a shade darker than the genuine.

Secret Service Agent F. H. Wilson is here working on the case.

Speaking of the counterfeiters' method of operation, he said:

"Their work is so smooth that it is almost impossible to detect them at it. Several agents are sent out and purchases for small amounts are made in the stores of the town they are in. A \$10 bill or \$20 bill is presented in payment, and they receive their cash in change. The counterfeit is not discovered until it goes to the bank, and even then in a great many cases it has been allowed to go through so perfect is the imitation.

"There is not only one gang, but several of them scattered around over the country. How many there are in the one deal we cannot tell yet."

### WANTED—18 MEN HATERS.

To Replace 18 Teachers Who Quit to Marry, All in Two Weeks.

Manchester, N. H., March 29.—Because of the recent extraordinary activity of Cupid among the pretty school mams of this city, the school board finds itself in need of the services of 18 woman teachers, men-haters preferred. Within the last two weeks 18 teachers have notified the school committee of their intention to wed and therefore to quit the city's service. No one can remember when so severe an epidemic of marriage has attacked the teaching force of Manchester, and the school board is said to be worried considerably over the probability of the epidemic spreading still further.

There are about 125 teachers in most of them young women, and a long standing forbids a married man to be a teacher, unless she without other means of support.

### Dominican Proposition Accepted.

Washington, March 29.—President Roosevelt was decided to accept the proposition of the Dominican government made through Minister Dawson for the control of the finances of that republic with a view to settling aside a portion of the revenues of the republic for the payment of its debts. The officers who will connect the money and hold it will be appointed by the Dominican government, but the names of the men selected will be referred to this government for approval.

### Gen. R. E. Lee's Daughter Dead.

New Orleans, La., March 29.—Miss Mildred Lee, youngest daughter of General Robert E. Lee, died here at the residence of Mrs. William Francis Johnston while on a visit. She was due to apoplexy.

## FORTUNE WILL SMILE ON THE TRUCKERS

Prospects for Tillers of Soil Were  
Never Better Than Now.

### CROPS EXCEPTIONALLY FINE

The Most Prolific Yield of All Vegetables Ever Known in the County. Weather and Other Conditions Have Been Favorable.

"Never in the history of Alachua county have the prospects been better for the trucking interest as now," remarked a prominent party who is in a position to know what he is talking about, and who spoke intelligently, Monday.

The party stated that, while all trucking crops throughout the county were flourishing, that section traversed by the Gainesville and Gulf railroad between Gainesville and Fairfield seemed the most favored. This is probably the most fertile land adapted to all classes of vegetation in the State, and the man who owns a tract in this belt is indeed fortunate. The crop now in the ground, which is yielding handsomely, is diversified. There are the finest peas ever grown in the county, snap beans, lettuce, cabbage, okra—and in fact everything imaginable in vegetables. Heavy movements of peas and other vegetables are now being made, the Gainesville and Gulf moving solid carloads daily. In order to move the crop to advantage and place the products in the Northern and Eastern markets with dispatch, so that they may bring fancy prices, the road has inaugurated a special twice-a-week service from Fairfield and intermediate points. The first special train was operated Monday, and until further notice the service will be continued on Mondays and Thursdays. The probability is that it may be made a daily service after the present week. This will be done should the traffic demand a more frequent movement of trains.

As was stated in The Sun of Saturday, three solid carloads of peas and lettuce were picked up by the Gainesville and Gulf Friday. Two of these cars were delivered to the Seaboard at this point, while the third was routed via Sampson City and the Georgia Southern and Florida.

### A NEWBERRY TRAGEDY.

Thomas Curry Attempted to Kill Woman and Wound Up in Prison.

Deputy Sheriff J. D. Siford of Newberry has arrived in the city with Thomas Curry, a colored man whom it is alleged endeavored to kill a woman near that place Friday night by knocking her in the head with a frying pan. This seems a favorite method in that section.

Curry was arraigned before Justice Henderson at Newberry upon a charge of assault with intent to murder, and inasmuch as the condition of the woman was serious, he was remanded to jail to await the results.

### A Boss Fisherman.

Dr. H. Herzog, Sr., of Philadelphia, father of our jovial townsman, Dr. Herzog, has returned from Gulf Hammock, where for the past few weeks he has been enjoying a sportsman's life as the guest of Captain Wingate. This is by no means Dr. Herzog's first visit to that favorite hunting and fishing ground, but it has proved the most successful, in the point of big game.

Dr. Herzog enjoyed the shooting thoroughly, which he declared was the best he had ever seen, but he broke record as an angler, having succeeded in landing two extraordinary bass. One of these members of the finny tribe tipped the beam at fifteen and a quarter pounds, while the other weighed thirteen pounds, nine ounces. The heads of these monsters were preserved, and will be shipped to the summer home of Dr. Herzog in Bushkill, Del. The fish were caught in Waccasassa river.

### Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of consumption, pneumonia, etc., you are lost if you do not get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better, when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed, at all drug stores. Price, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

## WASTING AWAY

It's the small but constant loss of flesh that indicates physical waste—the gradual slipping away of healthy flesh, pound by pound, which no ordinary food seems to restore. Scott's Emulsion will restore it. This Emulsion is the greatest flesh builder obtainable. Scott's Emulsion first stops the wasting—that's one gain. Then when it supplies new flesh and takes one back to normal strength and weight, that's another gain and a big one.

We'll send you a sample, free. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

### AN IMPRESSIVE AFFAIR.

LaCrosse Sunday School Will Observe Twenty-Second Year Sunday.

The LaCrosse Baptist Sunday school will be twenty-two years old next Sunday, and the parent of the school, Hon. Henry C. Parker, who is also superintendent, proposes to observe the event, as has been his usual custom each year.

The ceremonies will be held in the LaCrosse Baptist Church, and it is expected that the eighty-five members of the school will respond to the roll call on this important annual occasion. The program will comprise songs, recitations and instrumental music, and as arranged will prove a delightful one. The service will begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock, and will not be concluded until the late afternoon. The program will prove of unusual interest, and those who attend are assured of a pleasant afternoon.

Captain Parker, who was in the city Monday, stated that Rev. Lorenzo Dow Geiger of Apopka, a noted divine and secretary of the Baptist State Convention, had promised to be present and make an address, and in addition to this several other distinguished speakers will be on hand. This, with the recitations of the Sunday school children, the songs and music, will make an extraordinary program.

The LaCrosse Baptist Sabbath school was organized by Captain Parker twenty-two years ago, and with the exception of only two years he has been its superintendent. During all this time, remarkable as may be, he has not been absent at a dozen meetings, and his interest now is stronger and greater than ever, growing with the school. When the school was organized it was with merely a handful of pupils. It may surely be termed a missionary work, for the enrollment now numbers eighty-five, and during its period of existence not less than 300 young men and women, members of the school, have been united with the church.

Captain Parker makes a rule to observe the anniversary yearly, and the people anticipate this occasion with a great deal of interest.

### A HAPPY MARRIAGE.

Miss Ethel Gammage, Formerly of Micanopy, Wedded in Arcadia.

The current number of The DeSoto County News, Arcadia, contains the following notice of the marriage of W. E. Griffith and Miss Ethel Gammage, which will be of interest to the people of this county, as the bride is well known and popular here, having been reared in Micanopy:

"Miss Ethel Gammage and Mr. W. E. Griffith were quietly married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride, Rev. Jas. P. DePass of the Methodist church officiating. The wedding was quite a surprise to their friends, only a few persons being present beside the bride's family.

"Mrs. Griffith is very popular in Arcadia, where she has lived about two years—having moved from Micanopy here. She is unusually pretty and very bewitching in her manner.

"Mr. Griffith has been an efficient employee of the DeSoto Publishing Company for several months, and has won the respect and esteem of all who have met him.

"Mr. and Mrs. Griffith are at home at the Williams House."

### Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for constipation and biliousness." 35c at druggists.

## POPULAR PEOPLE WED

W. A. McGriff and Miss Colson Were Married Monday Morning.

There was a happy wedding in this city at 11 o'clock Monday morning, when W. A. McGriff of Wauchula and Miss Bessie, the charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry M. Colson, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. S. B. Rogers of the First Baptist Church officiating. The affair was quite a surprise to the friends of the contracting parties, but a most pleasant one, since both are quite popular here. It has been generally known that they have been betrothed for some time, but no one entertained an idea that the marriage would occur at this time.

The affair was a quiet one, only the members of the family and immediate relatives of the bride being present.

Mr. McGriff formerly resided here, where for some time he held a lucrative position as pharmacist in the drug store of W. M. Johnson. A few months ago he moved to Wauchula, where he opened the Orange Pharmacy, and where commercial fortune has smiled sweetly upon him. While here he was one of Gainesville's leading young men, and made himself quite popular.

The bride, who is the second daughter of Col. and Mrs. Colson, is a general favorite, and numbers her friends by the score. The only regret is that she will not be associated with them longer.

Mr. and Mrs. McGriff left on the noon train for Wauchula, where they will in future reside. They were joined at the station by a number of friends who called to extend congratulations and wish the happy pair much joy in their matrimonial state.

The Sun extends congratulations.

### The Colonel's Waterloo.

Col. John M. Fuller of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo from liver and kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says: "I was nearly dead of these complaints, and although I tried my family doctor he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure dyspepsia, biliousness and kidney disease by all druggists, at 50c a bottle.

### A Pleasant Affair.

On Saturday evening Miss Mabel Sanchez, one of the teachers in the Gainesville Graded and High School, tendered Prof. Kellum and the corps of assistants a reception at her home, East Main street, N. The evening was passed in a most enjoyable manner. Mrs. J. F. McKinstry, Jr., rendered some fine vocal music which was appreciated.

Refreshments were served, after which the faculty retired wishing the hostess much happiness and success.

### If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

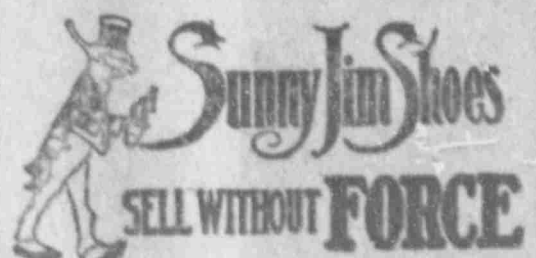
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Rhubarb -  
Sulphur -  
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Clean, Hard and Firm, and Becomes  
More Compact as It is Used—Clay-  
Sand a Fine Road Composition.

The block of object-lesson street  
which has been under construction for  
the past four weeks has been com-  
pleted, and it is safe to assert that it  
is one of the most solidly built and  
most durable thoroughfares in the  
South, vitrified brick not excepted.

The material used is the flint rock  
which was taken from University  
street two or three years ago, and  
which the experts say is the best ma-  
terial in the United States for road  
and street building. The street, which  
is seventy feet in width, is eight inches  
thick in center, tapering to five inches  
on either side, making a three-inch fall  
from center to either side, which is the  
standard grade. The big steam roller  
has been faithfully and constantly  
packing the material ever since the  
construction began, with the result  
that it is now almost as compact as a  
solid rock.

"You are going to find this street  
thoroughly satisfactory," remarked  
Superintendent J. H. Dodge, under the  
supervision of whom the practical  
work has been done, "and it is safe to  
state that it will remain here in good  
condition as long as the city stands,  
with the necessary repairs. The more  
it is used the more solid it becomes,  
and it is made of a material that the  
rain cannot wash away."

While the street has cost the city  
considerable, it has demonstrated the  
material to be used for solid, perma-  
nent streets, and has been a great  
object-lesson to the future street build-  
ers of Gainesville.

Mr. Dodge, who also supervised the  
construction of the mile of object-  
lesson road on the Paradise road, states  
that the work proved most satisfactory.  
The material used on this thoroughfare  
was a mixture of clay and sand, being  
about seventy-five percent of the former,  
and will prove a most lasting ma-  
terial. The county by private sub-  
scription is building a mile of road to  
connect with this strip, which will  
make three miles of good road leading  
from North Gainesville north.

Messrs. W. S. Spoon, J. H. Dodge  
and W. H. Eldridge, the experts who  
have been in charge of the work here,  
expect to make their departure today  
for Tallahassee. Mr. Spoon, who has  
charge of the work, has generously  
offered to allow the machinery to re-  
main here for the purpose of rebuild-  
ing University street, and an expert  
road builder of Jacksonville arrived  
last night to begin the work, which will  
be completed as rapidly as possible.

While here the government road  
men made many friends. They are  
clever fellows, and it is with regret  
that the people of Gainesville see them  
go. They have taught us a great deal  
in road-building, however, for which  
we shall always thank them.

### BIBLICAL INSTITUTE.

Meetings Will be Held in Mammoth  
Tent, Beginning Friday.

The citizens of Gainesville and vi-  
cinity will be given an opportunity for  
the next few days, or as long as the in-  
terest lasts, of hearing a series of fine  
Biblical lectures by some of the most  
impressive and most eloquent speakers  
of the country.

The tent will be located on the lot  
one block east of the postoffice, on  
East Union street, corner University,  
and a cordial invitation is extended to  
the public.

The object of these studies is to pre-  
sent Jesus Christ and Him Crucified,  
to exalt the Holy Scriptures as Word  
of the Living God, and to save the un-  
converted. The promoters hope to be  
greeted by good congregations.

The tent will be well lighted and  
comfortable seats will be provided.

The meetings will be held in the  
evening, and will begin Friday.

### Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible bru-  
tality if Charles F. Lamberger of Syra-  
cuse, N. Y., had not done the best he  
could for his suffering son. "My boy,"  
he says, "cut a fearful gash over his  
eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica  
Salve, which quickly healed it and  
saved his eye." Good for burns and  
ulcers too. Only 25c at all drug stores.

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have ever used. It is also a sure spe-  
cific for pain in the back or under the  
shoulders. I have recommended it in  
numerous cases to my workmen, when  
sick and unable to work, and it has al-  
ways given perfect satisfaction. H. D.  
TERRELL, President Atlanta Plow  
Co., Atlanta."

### MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR.

#### THE NEWS FROM MELROSE.

Delightful Social Functions—Depar-  
ture of a Popular Family.

Melrose, March 27.—The first straw-  
berries of the season were brought to  
town on Saturday and found ready  
buyers.

Rev. C. D. Frankel will hold morn-  
ing and evening service at the Epis-  
copal church on Sunday, April 2nd.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a  
pie supper at the town hall on March  
28th, at 5 p. m.

The social evening of the Ladies' Literary Society at their hall on Tues-  
day evening was one of the most en-  
joyable affairs of the series. Some  
forty-five members and friends sat  
down to an excellent supper at two  
long tables decorated with a profusion  
of bridal wreath and purple wistaria  
blossoms. After a short interval the  
Peak sisters were announced and a  
most entertaining performance began  
under the leadership of Miss V. Smith,  
the others being Mrs. J. A. Rummel,  
Mrs. J. B. McDonald, Mrs. H. von  
Noszky, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Miss P.  
Darlington, Miss M. Smith and J. A.  
Rummel. All were so good in their  
various parts that it would be hard to  
single out who was best. Later on  
some very good charades were given  
and the prize winners of the highest  
number of correct guesses were Mrs.  
Darlington and Miss Schneller. Alto-  
gether it was a very pleasant affair.

On Thursday evening Mrs. Orr, Mrs.  
Treadwell and Mrs. H. W. Hamlyn  
entertained their friends at the Home-  
acre, progressive point euchre being  
the game played at the nine tables.  
The floral decorations were very  
pretty, being of roses, wistaria and  
other flowers. At the end of the  
games most delicious refreshments  
were served. The winners of the  
pretty prizes were Mrs. J. B. McDon-  
ald, Mrs. H. von Noszky, Mrs. J. B.  
McDonald and Mrs. H. B. Tolles.

Newly registered at the Hoffman  
House are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Donald-  
son, Ellenville, N. Y.; Geo. H. Pepper,  
Thomasville, Ga., and J. B. Strodeman,  
Winston, N. C.

The many friends of the Aycock  
family will be sorry to hear that they  
leave here next week for a stay at  
Worthington Springs, and from there  
to their new home in Alabama. W. S.  
Yearwood and family will move on the  
Aycock place at once.

#### Death of Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Jones, the aged mother of W.  
A. Jones of this city, died at her home  
in Otter Creek Monday of cancer, after  
an illness of several months. The sad  
information came by telegram to Mr.  
Jones, who left by first train. The  
funeral was held Tuesday, the inter-  
ment being at Otter Creek cemetery.  
The Sun, with other friends, extends  
to the bereaved family deepest sym-  
pathy.

#### \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be  
pleased to learn that there is at least  
one dreaded disease that science has  
been able to cure in all its stages, and  
that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure  
is the only positive cure now known to  
the medical fraternity. Catarrh being  
a constitutional disease, requires a con-  
stitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh  
Cure is taken internally, acting direct-  
ly upon the blood and mucous surfaces  
of the system, thereby destroying the  
foundation of the disease, and giving  
the patient strength by building up the  
constitution and assisting nature in do-  
ing its work. The proprietors have so  
much faith in its curative powers that  
they offer One Hundred Dollars for any  
case that it fails to cure. Send for list  
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pany Will Install Plant.

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Patronage to Sustain Two Factories,  
and Decided to Utilize Power to Full-  
est Capacity.

The first annual meeting of the  
stockholders of the Gainesville Gas and  
Electric Power Company, under the  
charter recently granted by the State  
of Florida, when the property of the  
Gainesville Gas and Electric Light  
Company, a private concern, was ab-  
sorbed by the corporation, was held at  
the offices of the company in this city  
Saturday morning.

This was an important meeting, since  
many matters of importance to the  
company and the city were to be  
brought up, discussed and disposed of.

The first business to come before the  
meeting was the election of officers for  
the ensuing year, which resulted as  
follows:

President, Chas. W. Morse, Haver-  
hill, Mass.; vice-president, H. F. Hurl-  
but, Boston, Mass.; treasurer and gen-  
eral manager, G. I. Doig, Gainesville,  
Fla.; directors, Chas. W. Morse, H. F.  
Hurlbut, John Cushman, Boyd B.  
Jones and Geo. I. Doig.

The company, realizing the incapa-  
city to supply the demand for ice,  
decided to install at once a modern  
plant for the manufacture of ice. The  
plant will have a capacity of not less  
than twenty tons per day at the begin-  
ning, and will be increased from time  
to time as the demand requires. It has  
not been definitely settled, but a De  
La Vergne machine will more than  
likely be installed.

In speaking of the erection of the  
ice plant, President Morse, who is now  
in the city, said: "In voting to install  
this plant our company is only carrying  
out its original ideas. When the elec-  
tric plant was added to the gas business  
we had the ice plant in view, and de-  
termined eventually to manufacture  
gas, electricity and ice with one simul-  
taneous power, hence a steam plant of  
sufficient power was installed. The ice  
plant will engender nor require no ad-  
ditional power and very little expense,  
and we may now be enabled to utilize  
our power for twenty-four hours every  
day."

The company is considering several  
bids, but Mr. Morse authorizes the  
statement that the plant will be in-  
stalled within a short time.

## You Must Sleep.

If you cannot, it is due to an  
irritated or congested state of  
the brain, which will soon de-  
velop into nervous prostration.

Nature demands sleep, and  
it is as important as food; it  
is a part of her building and  
sustaining process. This period  
of unconsciousness relaxes the  
mental and physical strain, and  
allows nature to restore ex-  
hausted vitality.

Dr. Miles' Nerve brings  
refreshing sleep, because it  
soothes the irritation and re-  
moves the congestion.

It is also a nerve builder; it  
nourishes and strengthens ev-  
ery nerve in your body, and  
creates energy in all the organs.

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and vitality as surely and  
quickly as Dr. Miles' Nerve.

"During the past winter I had two  
attacks of LaGrippe which left me  
very weak, and in bad condition. I  
was so nervous I could not sleep. My  
wife, after trying different remedies,  
went for a doctor. The doctor was  
out, and a neighbor recommended Dr.  
Miles' Nerve, and she brought home  
a bottle. I had not slept for some time,  
and had terrible pains in my head.  
After taking a few doses of Nerve  
the pain was not so severe, and I  
slept. I am now taking the second  
bottle, and am very much improved."

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man's diseases covers a great many years.  
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is revolting to relate your private troubles  
to a man—besides a man does not under-  
stand—simply because he is a man.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along  
from bad to worse, knowing full well that they  
ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural  
modesty impels them to shrink from exposing them-  
selves to the questions and probably examinations of  
even their family physician. It is unnecessary.  
Without money or price you can consult a woman  
whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

#### Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation:

Women suffering from any form of female weak-  
ness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs.  
Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received,  
opened, read and answered by women only. A  
woman can freely talk of her private illness to a  
woman; thus has been established the eternal  
confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women  
of America which has never been broken. Out  
of the vast volume of experience which she  
has to draw from, it is more than possible  
that she has gained the very knowledge  
that will help your case. She asks nothing  
in return except your good-will, and her  
advice has relieved thousands. Surely any  
woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she  
does not take advantage of this generous  
offer of assistance. — Lydia E. Pinkham  
Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Following we publish two let-  
ters from a woman who accep-  
ted this invitation. Note the  
result.

#### First letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—  
"For eight years I have suffered something  
terrible every month with my periods. The  
pains are excruciating and I can hardly stand  
them. My doctor says I have ovarian and  
womb trouble, and I must go through an op-  
eration if I want to get well. I do not want  
to submit to it if I can possibly help it.  
Please tell me what to do. I hope you can  
relieve me."—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E.  
Capitol Sts., Benning P.O., Washington, D.C.

#### Second letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—  
"After following carefully your advice,  
and taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound, I am very anxious to send you  
my testimonial, that others may know their  
value and what you have done for me."

"As you know, I wrote you that my doctor  
said I must have an operation or I could not  
live. I then wrote you, telling you my ail-  
ments. I followed your advice and am en-  
tirely well. I can walk miles without an  
ache or a pain, and I owe my life to you and  
to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.  
I wish every suffering woman would read  
this testimonial and realize the value of writ-  
ing to you and your remedy."—Mrs. Mary  
Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Streets, Ben-  
ning P.O., Washington, D.C.

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in restoring to health so many women  
whose testimony is so unquestionable,  
you cannot well say, without trying it,  
"I do not believe it will help me." If  
you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bot-  
tle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pink-  
ham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—  
it is free and always helpful.

#### THE ELECTED OFFICERS.

Alachua Encampment No. 9, I. O. O.  
F., Holds Interesting Meeting.

There was an interesting meeting of  
Alachua Encampment No. 9, Inde-  
pendent Order of Odd Fellows, at the  
conclusion of the regular meeting of  
the order Monday evening, when the  
following officers were elected for the  
ensuing term:

J. G. Torrey, C. P.; N. E. Benson, S.  
W.; J. W. Manding, H. P.; Robert  
McClellan, J. W.; A. M. Cushman,  
scribe; L. E. Webster, treasurer.

There was manifested a renewed in-  
terest in the encampment, and several  
actions were acted upon and elected to  
that degree. A special meeting will  
be held this evening at the lodge room  
over Dutton's bank for the conferring  
of the degrees. All Patriarchs are frater-  
nally invited.

#### Morphine Ends Woman's Life.

Atlanta, March 28.—From an over-  
dose of morphine Ethel Venable, a  
white woman who lived over a Decatur  
street store near Piedmont avenue  
died at the Grady hospital Sunday af-  
ternoon. The woman took the drug  
it is believed, with suicidal intent,  
while at her home. When the hospi-  
tal ambulance reached the place she  
was unconscious. She had been treat-  
ed at the hospital for morphine pois-  
oning twice before.

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### CONFIRMATION CAME MONDAY

Hons. Robinson and Chubb, Republican Leaders Who Endorsed the Application, Won Victory Over Abundance of Opposition.

The appointment of George C. Crom to be postmaster of Ocala, which confirmation was made from Washington Monday, was received with a great deal of satisfaction by Hons. Walter G. Robinson and Henry S. Chubb of this city, chairmen of the Republican Congressional Committee and the Republican State Central Committee respectively. These gentlemen received information of the appointment Tuesday afternoon.

The term of the present incumbent, H. S. Groves, expired a year ago, since which time there have been several candidates after the plum, some among the number being very strongly endorsed by powerful influences outside of the State.

But Mr. Crom held the proverbial long pole, however, and secured the persimmon, full ripe. He had the endorsement of Messrs. Robinson, Chubb and J. N. Coombs of Apalachicola, national committeeman from Florida, and the Republican State organization, which the President sustained. Naturally these gentlemen feel very much elated.

Mr. Crom has been for several years general agent of the Atlantic Coast Line at Ocala, one of the most important points on that line, in which capacity he enjoyed great success. He originally resided in Gainesville, and it was here he married into one of the most prominent families in the State. He was connected with the Southern Express Company, and was quite popular. His success attracted the attention of high railroad officials, with the result that he was tendered a lucrative position by them, and was induced to make the change, since which time he has had rapid promotion. His fine executive ability, good judgment and personal popularity attracted the attention of the Republican leaders, Messrs. Robinson, Chubb and Coombs, and when the vacancy at the Ocala postoffice occurred they heartily endorsed him, and the appointment, which is one of the best in the State, followed.

### MR. GRAVES BUYS PROPERTY.

Purchases a Hundred Acres Fine Timber Land Near Paradise.

Daniel Graves of Bradshaw, Nebraska, has demonstrated his faith in Florida to the extent that he has purchased from W. H. Palmer, agent, one hundred acres of timber and farming land about five miles from this city, near Paradise.

The land contains some of the finest timber in the county, suitable for turpentine and saw mill purposes. A portion of the land is cleared, and this Mr. Graves will no doubt let out to the farmers on shares. It is a valuable tract, and the new owner is to be congratulated.

Mr. Graves, who has been for some time with relatives in North Gainesville, expects to return to his Western home in a few days, but will visit this section earlier next season.

## SEEDS and FARM Implements

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### DEATH OF DR. MATHESON.

Aged Gentleman and Ex-Confederate Passed Away Wednesday.

The people of Gainesville and this section were grieved Wednesday evening to hear of the death of Dr. Benjamin Haile Matheson, which occurred at 5:45 o'clock in the afternoon.

Deceased was a native of Camden, S. C., and was born Nov. 14, 1827. He was a graduate of the South Carolina College, and Charleston Medical College, completing his medical course at Philadelphia and New York.

After graduating Dr. Matheson went to Pickens county, Ala., where he remained for about nine years, returning then to Camden. At the beginning of the Civil War he entered the Confederate service, being assigned to the South Carolina coast. At the close of the war he returned to Kershaw county, S. C., and resumed the practice of medicine. After practicing medicine for a number of years he removed to his farm and remained there until January, 1902, when he came to Gainesville on account of his health.

Deceased is survived by four sisters, Mesdames Mary McCaa of Jacksonville, E. P. McCuen of Santa Fe, N. M., N. R. Young of Ocala and S. M. Adamson of this city, and two brothers, J. D. and W. C. Matheson of this city.

The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the Presbyterian church, Rev. Thos. P. Hay officiating. The following gentlemen will act as pall bearers, and are requested to meet at the home of W. C. Matheson at half-past two:

J. H. Vidal, W. T. Chesnut, J. W. Tench, B. F. Jordan, James Doig, C. A. Colelough.

To the bereaved relatives The Sun, with other friends, extends sincere sympathy.

### A DESERVED PROMOTION.

Harvey L. Hutchinson Will be Manager for National at Charleston.

H. L. Hutchinson, who for the past two years has been working hard, faithfully and successfully in the capacity of traveling salesman for the Hammond Packing Company and the National Packing Company, has been rewarded for his faithfulness and efficiency by a deserved promotion, and after Monday will be the manager of the Charleston branch of the National Packing Company of Chicago, one of the largest packing plants in the United States. The Charleston branch is the largest and most important branch in the South, which makes the promotion all the more complimentary.

Mr. Hutchinson has been anticipating the promotion for several weeks, as it was intimated from headquarters that it would be given him. He received a telegram Saturday directing him to report for duty to assume the management of the Charleston branch Monday morning.

Few salesmen in the State have been more popular or more successful than Mr. Hutchinson, and, while his friends throughout the territory regret so much to lose him, they will nevertheless join in extending congratulations upon this deserved and most complimentary promotion.

Mr. Hutchinson will leave for Charleston Saturday, but proposes to keep his family in this city for the present.

### Ball Club Organized.

The baseball season is about to dawn, and various clubs are being organized for the coming summer. Among the best colored teams yet organized is the Central City Club, colored, which will this year be under the management of Grant Player.

The Central City Club furnished some exciting games to the fans of Gainesville last summer, and propose now to bring some of the strongest colored teams in the State to play here. This city, which has always enjoyed the reputation, both white and colored teams, of being the champion of the State, has some of the best colored welders of the willow in Florida, and a lively season is anticipated.

### Still Remembers Gainesville.

L. Klein, at one time a prosperous merchant in this city, but who is now engaged in the brokerage business in Mobile, Ala., in making remittance for subscription to The Sun, says:

"Although I have not lived in your city for nearly six years, I still feel very much attached to the place and the people, and the brightness of The Sun. With best wishes to your valued paper and all inquiring friends,

"Yours very truly,"  
"L. KLEIN."

Mr. Klein's friends will be glad to know that he remembers them, and will be pleased also to learn that he is prospering in his Alabama home.

## The Hand That Wards Off Coughs, Colds, Grip And Restores Nervous, Dyspeptic Catarrh Wrecks.

"During the recent Grip epidemic, claiming a million victims or more, the efficiency of Peruna in quickly relieving this malady and its after-effects has been the talk of the continent."—N. Y. Journal.

CURED OF OBSTINATE LA GRIPPE.

Henry Distin, the inventor and maker of band instruments for the Henry Distin Mfg. Co., at Williamsport, Pa., is probably the most active old man in Philadelphia today. He writes from 141 S. 9th street, Philadelphia, Pa.:

"I write to inform you that I had a bad attack of la grippe last December which lasted more than three months, and which left me with catarrh, and several of my friends advised me to try your wonderful medicine, Peruna."

"I began with a bottle the first week in March and it certainly did me a great deal of good."

"I was so well satisfied that I purchased another bottle, and followed your directions which you furnish with every bottle, and I am glad to say that it has cured me. I shall certainly recommend the Peruna to all my friends,"—Henry Distin.

Congressman Powers of Vermont Uses Pe-Ru-Na in His Family.

Hon. H. Henry Powers, writes from Morrisville, Vt.:

"Peruna I have used in my family with success. I can recommend it as an excellent family remedy, and very good for coughs, colds and catarrhal affections."—H. Henry Powers.

Pe-Ru-Na For Catarrhal Nervousness and Stomach Troubles.

Hon. W. J. Purman, ex-member of Congress from Florida, writes from 1422 Q street, N. W., Washington, D. C.:

"From representations to me, and from my own experience, I feel justified in recommending your Peruna to any and all persons suffering with catarrhal nervousness or stomach troubles."—W. J. Purman.

Address Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

LIKE A DEMON grip has crossed our country, leaving behind scores of physical wrecks.

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## HEAD SPLIT OPEN WITH A HEAVY AX

Coroner's Jury Holds John Green  
for Murder of Wife.

### SLAIN WHILE SHE SLEPT

Children of Green Testified Before Inquest That Their Father Struck Mother With Ax While She Was in a Deep Sleep.

Newberry, March 29.—Sallie Green, the woman who was chopped on the head with an ax at Cummer's turpentine still, five miles east of here, died yesterday morning.

Justice E. T. Henderson was summoned to the scene to hold an inquest over the dead body. He summoned the following jury: Ira J. Carter, J. C. Fortson, T. J. West, J. M. Milton, W. S. Nabb and Tim Bailey, foreman, who rendered the following verdict:

"We, the jury, find that one John Green, on the 23d day of March, an assault did make upon Sallie Green, his wife, and a mortal wound did inflict, of which said mortal wound said Sallie Green died."

John Green, the husband, has been committed to jail without bail.

The parties have been married for some years, and have two grown children, who testified that their father did murder their mother by striking her on the head with an ax while she was asleep. Both parties are colored.

(Note—The above article is the same case referred to in The Sun of Tuesday, but there was a mistake in the name, the reporter having been misinformed. Green has been in jail here since Sunday.)

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## Spring Style Shoes.

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### THE NEWS FROM ALACHUA.

Work Progressing on Ice Factory Building—Notes of Personal Interest.

Alachua, March 29.—C. A. Williams left yesterday for Tampa, where he will be for some time in hopes of regaining his health.

S. C. Dell spent Tuesday in Gainesville on business.

W. H. Traxler of Traxler was in the city Tuesday en route to Gainesville.

A. S. Johnson, the clever agent of the Seaboard Air Line at this place, is treating his pretty little residence to a coat of paint.

Work is progressing rapidly on the residence of R. A. Turner.

A number of our people are making fish baskets and preparing for the season's sport.

The work on the ice plant is going forward rapidly, and it is hoped will be in running order in thirty days. This

is only one of the needed enterprises that is booked for Alachua.

The meeting looking toward incorporating the town of Alachua is only ten days off, and some are showing a good deal of enthusiasm. L. V. Elves, our merchant prince, is spoken of as a probable candidate for mayor.

LeRoy Pearce of the East Florida Seminary, Gainesville, was at home for a short time last week.

Rev. B. F. Mason preached two interesting sermons at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. R. S. Gray has purchased the millinery business of Mrs. G. S. Ramsey at Newberry, and has moved her family to that place. Mrs. Ramsey will devote her time to her millinery business at this place.

Mrs. Etheridge of Georgia has joined her husband, who is in the real estate business here. They are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. E. Stringfellow.

## NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

### Brief Happenings From Various Sections of State.

#### THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS

Transpiring in "The Land of Flowers."

Things "Boiled Down" to Suit the Busy Reader—Items of Interest to All Classes.

Plant City is to have a sand-lime brick plant.

A trolley line will be built from Palatka to Hastings.

A. P. Edge & Co. will establish a saw mill at Fort Pierce.

Wauchula shipped its first crate of beans one day last week.

St. Petersburg will have a national bank with \$25,000 capital.

Miami real estate deals for the two weeks amounted to \$200,000.

The Hotel Indian River at Rockledge has closed for the season.

The new postmaster at Live Oak will assume the duties of his office April 1.

Malcom McLain, a respected citizen of Bowling Green, died March 23, aged 72.

H. P. Holstien will open a concrete factory at Fernandina under a new process.

Quincy will organize a baseball team and proceed to show up Jacksonville's aggregation.

Starke is shipping strawberries and they expect to average 1,500 bushels daily this week.

A daily mail between Bristol and River Junction has been asked for of the U. S. service.

Pensacola will have "Fighting" Bob Evans and his fleet of war vessels as visitors this week.

Eddie Morris of Hastings was given 60 days in the justice court at St. Augustine for larceny.

Oswald Pritchard, a colored switchman at Pensacola, was run over by a L. & N. engine and killed.

One thousand alligator hides have been shipped to Savannah, Ga., from the Everglades this season.

The young men of Perry are gradually improving and now attend church regularly. Good idea.

A sanitarium will be built at St. Petersburg. It will be three stories and contain twenty-six rooms.

The Stetson University team of baseball players has won the entire six games it has played this season.

The Detroit American League team will play the Jacksonville ball tossers three games, opening Friday, April 7.

J. A. Atkins has his new saw mill at Bowling Green all ready for operation. It will be one of the best in the State.

A Lakeland farmer has so far this season realized \$900 from his two-acre strawberry farm, with a backward season.

Frank Tatman, superintendent of the Kissimmee electric plant, got his left hand badly smashed in the machinery.

Ybor City is to have a Methodist church with an Italian from Rome as preacher to preach to the Italians of that place.

Farmer Stockhouse of Sarasota has 150 acres of tomato plants set and sugar cane knee-high, all on drained muck land.

A. A. Miller, a Geneva turpentine operator, visited the tenderloin disease in Jacksonville. He had \$800 and started out for the visit.

Boy thieves are quite numerous in Jacksonville, and the public have just rounded up a half dozen or more who are well loaded with plunder.

The Tampa Bay Hotel will remain open all summer, and visitors to Tampa can have the pleasure of stopping at the finest hotel in the land.

The United Land Company, near Kissimmee, is adding some fine Jerseys to its stock at Runnymede Stock Farm. Good stock is what is needed in Florida.

The sparring contests which were being held in St. Augustine this winter have been stopped, the last one ending in a "sure enough" fight, which was stopped by the sheriff.

City Treasurer Ball of Orange Park has owned up to being short in his accounts. He was postmaster and has a case in the Federal court at Jacksonville in April.

The Ocklawaha Lumber Company

plant at Silver Springs, with 13,000 acres of timber lands, railroads, etc., has been sold to F. C. Bolin of Minnesota. Consideration, \$100,000.

The grand jury of De Soto county would lead one to believe that the county is in dire need. The jury recommends the purchase of bloodhounds, repairs on the county jail, that it be cleaned and enlarged; also an extension of the "bar" in the court house. Send for Sam Jones.

A row boat was caught in a squall on Banana river, Rockledge, Friday afternoon and capsized, four of the occupants being drowned, viz: Mrs. Miller of Chautauqua, N. Y.; Mr. Moore and daughter Edith of Holyoke, Mass., and A. A. Baldwin of Georgia, Fla. Mr. Miller was the only one saved.

#### Liberty Street Repairs.

A force is now busy coating that section of Liberty street between West Main and Garden with flint rock. The street will be rolled with the steam roller, and when completed will make a most desirable block.

As is stated in another column, University street will also be rebuilt, the steam roller being used. This street was paved under direction of H. E. Benson, chairman of the street committee of the City Council about three years ago. Lime rock was used as a material, and the street has given good service, but with the aid of the steam roller the thoroughfare will be more thoroughly packed, hence will last a great deal longer.

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#### BRIDE SHOT BY HUSBAND.

They Had Separated and He Wanted Her to Return.

Jasper, Ga., March 23.—A girl bride shot to death by her husband, the slayer in flight and a posse being organized to chase the fleeing man, is the tragic story that comes from Epworth, in Fanning county.

From reliable reports it is learned that young Glazier, of Epworth, killed his wife early Saturday night, and after the shooting fled to parts unknown. Messengers arrived shortly thereafter at Blue Ridge, informed the sheriff of Fanning of the occurrence and at last accounts the sheriff was organizing a posse to assist him in the capture of the fugitive.

Mrs. Glazier, from accounts, had separated from her husband a short time ago, and had been living since at the home of her mother, some distance from her husband's home.

Saturday night Glazier went to the house where his wife was living and asked her to return and live with him again.

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#### ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

To the Heirs, Legatees, Distributees and Creditors of the Estate of Archibald Hague, Sr., and to All Persons Whom This Notice May Concern: You will take notice that six months after the first publication of this notice I, as administratrix of the estate of Archibald Hague, Sr., will present to the Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge in and for Alachua county, State of Florida, my accounts as such administratrix and final report, and will then and there ask for final discharge as such administratrix.

LAURA W. SMALL,  
Administratrix of the Estate of Archibald Hague, Sr.

#### NOTICE

All persons indebted to the late S. B. Giddings, and creditors, legatees, distributees and all other persons having claims or demands against the estate of S. B. Giddings, deceased, are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned, within two years.

EDMUND E. VOYLE,  
Administrator of the Estate of S. B. Giddings, deceased.

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If you need a medicine write to-day for a Free sample bottle and "Dr. Thacher's Health Book." Give symptoms for advice. We simply ask you to try it at our expense. We know what it will do. At all druggists. 50 cents and \$1.00.  
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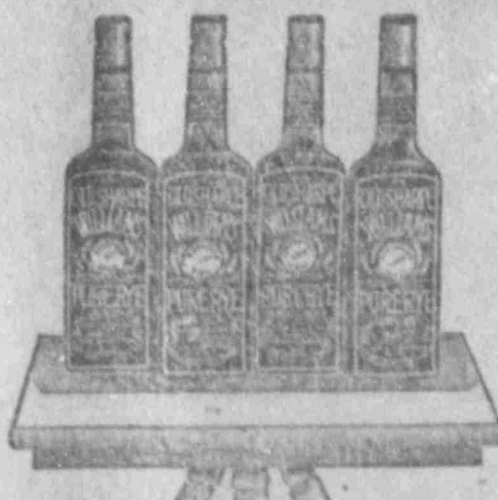
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## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,  
March 1, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land States by Act of August 4, 1892, James W. Douglass of Grady, county of Lafayette, State of Florida, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 131, for the purchase of the Lot 2 of Section No. 1, in Township No. 7 S., Range No. 13 E., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Florida, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1905.

He names as witnesses: C. C. Hathcox of Hatch Bend, Fla.; C. A. Howell of Hatch Bend, Fla.; E. D. Dedge of Grady, Fla.; J. H. Cribbs of Grady, Fla.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of May, 1905.

W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

#### PETITION FOR ELECTION.

To the Honorable Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida:

We, the undersigned taxpayers and voters residing in the territory described as follows: All of Sections 34, 35 and 36, Township 7, Range 15 East, also all of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Township 9, Range 15 East; also all of Sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33, Township 8, Range 16 East; also all of Township 8, Range 15 East, except Sections 29, 30, 31 and 32, do most respectfully petition your honor, the body to call an election to determine whether the above described territory shall become a Special Tax School District, for the purpose of levying and collecting a district school tax, for the exclusive use of public free schools within this district. Respectfully submitted,

J. C. B. Thomas, R. L. Thomas, J. R. Thomas, W. B. Pope, J. A. Thomas, J. H. Lang, G. S. Slaughter, Charles Fletcher.

Note—The above petition will be presented to the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua county on Tuesday, May 2nd, 1905.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA

Notice is hereby given that The Abstract & Realty Company, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 746, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1901, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

W 1/4 of Sec 4 of N 1/4 Sec. 35, Tp. 8, Range 21 S. & E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of P. C. & P. Ry. Co.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this 10th day of March, A. D. 1905.

S. H. WIENGES,  
du Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,  
March 13, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on April 18, 1905, viz:

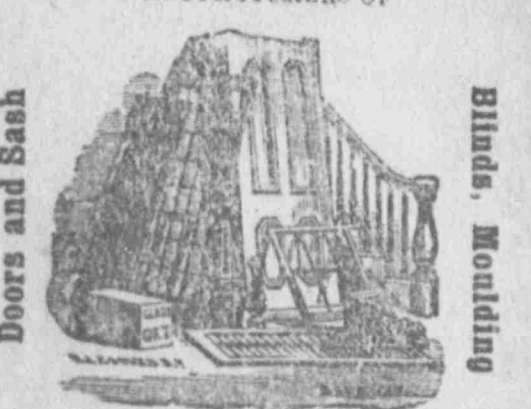
HUGH J. JOLLY of Newberry, Fla.  
Hd. 3366 for the S 1/4 of S 1/4 of Section 14, Tp. 10 S., R. 10 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Wiley Bailey, O. A. Munn, I. T. Sugars, Walter Donelson, all of Newberry, Fla.

W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

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Alleged to Have Stolen Sum of Money  
From Micanopy Merchants—Ran  
Away From Home, Taken Prisoner,  
Brought to Gainesville and Escaped.

One of the shrewdest escapes from imprisonment on record, taking all things into consideration, has been developed in Gainesville, and inasmuch as the prisoner was of such tender years it is all the more remarkable, and goes to show what this young urchin may grow up to when he becomes of age, and should ever occupy a prison—which, judging from the start, is inevitable if he lives that long.

Harry Fall, colored, who was born in Micanopy ten years ago and has lived there ever since, is alleged to have stolen from the cash drawer of N. B. Mott, a merchant of that place, a sum of money and checks aggregating \$38. The boy was suspected of the theft, especially since he left home for parts unknown at a late hour Saturday night.

John R. Shuford of Micanopy, who had heard about the robbery and been informed of the suspect, was coming to Gainesville Monday via the Gainesville and Gulf. When the train stopped at Ocala he happened to observe the suspect under the station platform, and took the responsibility of making him a prisoner. Upon arriving at Gainesville he secured telephone connection, stated that he had the boy, and was requested to bring him to Micanopy.

Mr. Shuford then assumed the position of the man and the bear—he had the boy, and could not release him. He did not desire to place him in the county jail, which would have been extra trouble and personal expense, hence secured permission to lock him in a closet in the store of H. M. Chitty & Co. until time for the departure of the Micanopy train. His surprise may be imagined when he opened the door and discovered that the urchin had unlocked the lock and gained his freedom through the bowling alley next door, the closet having entrance from another room.

The joke was on Mr. Shuford, who good-naturedly declared the "kid" was the slickest proposition he had ever seen.

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## NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

### Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

#### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

**What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.**

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

O. C. Strickland of Hague was trading in the city yesterday.

Miss Eliza Dell has returned from a pleasant visit to relatives at Hague.

For Sale—Hand velvet bean huller. Address J. H. Folks, Gainesville, Fla.

J. E. Futch of Alachua has returned to that place after a brief visit with his family here.

Miss Louise Simpson has returned from Micanopy, where she has been on a pleasant visit to Mrs. M. J. Ward.

Miss Clara Thomas of Windsor is in the city, attending the East Florida Seminary Normal. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Stevens.

County Surveyor James Croxton of Micanopy was in the city yesterday. He was en route to Alachua, where he has been engaged on some professional work.

Wanted—Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for a firm of \$250,000 capital. Salary \$1,072 per year and expenses; paid weekly. Address M. Percival, Gainesville, Fla.

Miss Hassie Smith, a charming young lady of Wacahoota, who has been in the city for the past few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pedrick, returned to her home yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff E. S. Curl of Archer, one of Sheriff Fennell's most efficient officials, was among the visitors to this city yesterday. He reports matters rather quiet at Archer, commercially and otherwise, at this season.

J. A. Maultsby, the brick manufacturer of Campville, was among the business visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Maultsby is also interested commercially in Gainesville, being a stockholder in the Gainesville Furniture Company.

Officer Chas. Warren of the police department left yesterday for Jacksonville, where he went to consult a specialist in the treatment of his throat. Mr. Warren has suffered a great deal with tonsillitis, and his friends hope that the treatment will restore him to his former health.

J. R. Beville of Jonesville, one of the oldest and most widely known farmers of that section, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He brought to market a load of fine sweet potatoes and a couple of country cured hams which he disposed of at reasonable prices. The products were the product of J. I. Griffin of Jonesville.

Miss Georgia Jacobs, a charming young lady of Paw Paw, Mich., who has been attending East Florida Seminary in this city, departed yesterday for Logansport, Ind., from which city she expects to proceed to her home. She is a niece of Capt. and Mrs. J. B. Wilcox, and during her stay here made many friends who regretted exceedingly to see her leave.

W. T. Chesnut of Arredondo, who conducts a store at that place, spent Sunday with his family in this city. Mr. Chesnut stated that the Arredondo section was visited by a fine rain a few days ago which was a great stimulant to the growing crops. The farmers are busy preparing ground and planting their staple crops. The acreage in staple crops will be good, and a prolific season is anticipated.

Prof. O. M. Tillman of Orange Heights, representative-elect to the Legislature from Alachua county, was in the city yesterday. He has just closed a successful term of the Red-dick school, and expects to make his departure Saturday for Tallahassee. Prof. Tillman good-naturedly declares he is going to Tallahassee with his trunk full of one kind of bill and return with it full of another.

Mrs. M. E. Tidd, a professional nurse who makes her home in this city, has returned from Hague, where for the past three weeks she has been attending Mrs. Casper Hague, who has been suffering with typhoid fever. The lady's condition was critical for some time, but friends will be gratified at the information that she has greatly improved. The patient was a bride of only two weeks when she was confined to her bed.

Among the prominent visitors to Gainesville yesterday was J. R. Williams of Alachua. Mr. Williams is one of the most extensive merchants and most progressive citizens of that lively town. When asked if there was any news of interest to the people there, he replied that the farmers, which he considered the backbone of the country, were too busy planting to come to town now, hence matters were rather quiet.

Captain William Bodd, stock claim agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, who makes his headquarters in St. Petersburg, "looked in" on his friends for a couple of hours Sunday, all of whom were glad to see him. Captain Budd was for some time a resident of this city. He is quite a sportsman and angler, and loves St. Petersburg on account of the excellent fishing afforded in Tampa Bay. He says it is the finest city of its size in the State, but he still has a weakness for Gainesville and its clever people.

After a pleasant visit to old friends in this city, Dr. R. A. Lancaster and daughter, little Miss Aurrie, departed yesterday for Cedar Key, where they will sojourn for a few days before returning to their home in Columbia, S. C. Their time was pleasantly spent here, and all were glad to greet them again. The Doctor, who has been spending the past few days at Hampton Springs for the benefit of his health, states that he is feeling much improved. He proposes to come next season and spend a longer time.

After a delightful visit of several weeks to Mr. and Mrs. James M. Graham in this city, Mrs. George W. Graham of Crawfordville, Ind., made her departure yesterday for Washington. After a brief sojourn among friends in that city she will proceed to Boston, thence home. Mrs. Graham has not visited Gainesville before for four years, but her old friends were glad to welcome her, and she made many new ones. She has visited numerous places in Florida, but states that she is partial to Gainesville, which she believes to be one of the best and most hospitable cities in the State. She is delighted with the city and its people, and promises to pay another visit next year. Mr. and Mrs. Graham have entertained several visitors during the season, and now since they have all departed, the household will naturally seem a little quiet for a while.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

J. W. Thomas of Alachua paid the county capital a visit yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff J. E. Fugate of Alachua was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Chas. V. McQueen of Lexington was among those who paid Gainesville a visit yesterday.

W. J. Knight of Newberry was among those who paid the county capital a visit yesterday.

Mrs. J. G. Rice of High Springs has been the guest of Mrs. E. W. Smith for the past few days.

Mrs. G. V. Chamberlain and brother, Warren English, were in the city from Tacoma yesterday.

L. M. McKinney, a naval stores operator of Campville, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Warranty Deeds for sale at this office; 50c per dozen, \$2.50 per hundred. Cash must accompany order.

W. H. Traxler, merchant and postmaster of the village which bears his name, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

### READ THIS.

Lexington, Tenn., June 5, 1901.  
This is to certify that about March last I suffered intensely with my back and kidneys. Just prior to this I had undergone treatment for bladder trouble and was relieved, except the treatment was followed by the above trouble. It was recommended that I try "Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery." I took one dose on retiring at night, and to my agreeable astonishment, I found myself relieved. One dose did the work. There is no bosh about this. It is wonderful.

Respectfully,  
C. R. Scott,  
Proprietor Scott House, formerly county chief clerk, postmaster, etc.

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One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

A. G. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Feaster and Clifford Ferguson of Micanopy were among the visitors to the city yesterday.

R. L. Davis, one of Alachua's jolly farmers, called at The Sun office Tuesday and renewed his obligation to the righteous cause.

J. W. Strange of Hawthorn was in the city yesterday, having been summoned on business connected with the tax assessor's office.

M. S. Ladsack of High Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Sol. D. Mitchell of Donnie and M. D. Bryan of Hague visited Gainesville yesterday.

Mrs. J. Miller, an estimable lady of Trenton who has been visiting Mrs. J. I. Prevatt, East Gainesville, for the past few days, has returned to her home.

Samuel L. Pope, a progressive farmer and all-round good man of Jennings Lake, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the tax assessor's office.

J. H. Law, one of Archer's oldest and most widely known residents, was in the city yesterday. It is seldom Mr. Law comes to Gainesville, but he has many friends here who are always glad to welcome him.

Chas. Thompson of Wade was in the city yesterday. Mr. Thompson, who is from Michigan, owns a great deal of valuable timber and phosphate lands in the West End, and is here looking after his vast interests.

H. M. Sherouse of Micanopy, manufacturer of lumber and crates, was among the business visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Sherouse has one of the best small plants in the State, and is turning out a high grade of material.

Among the prominent Micanopy folks visiting Gainesville yesterday was Justice J. W. Smith. Justice Smith tells the same story of a prosperous country, with farmers all busy but happy in the anticipation of profitable crops at harvest time.

M. I. Jones, superintendent of one of the mines of the Center Phosphate Company at Clark, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the county tax assessor's office. Mr. Jones is one of the most competent phosphate miners in the county.

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Full line of McCALL'S PATTERNS now in stock. The simplest, best pattern made, 10 and 15 cents.

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Phifers' Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Twist of Bowling Green, Ky., who have been guests of Mrs. McVaine's boarding house for the past few weeks, departed for their home Monday. They were charmed with Gainesville and its people, and state that it is the cleanest city of its size, morally, they have ever visited.

M. J. Simmons of Alachua was transacting business in this city yesterday. Mr. Simmons owns a portable saw mill, and moves his mill to the timber instead of the timber to the mill. The plant has a cutting capacity of about 5,000 feet per day, and the owner has no trouble in disposing of his product at fair prices.

W. T. McLendon, the melon grower of Alachua, was among the visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. McLendon has always enjoyed the reputation of being one of the most successful growers of watermelons in the State. His stand this year will be 100 acres, and as he will have only the choicest varieties, he expects to reap a good thing financially.

From Thursday's Daily Sun:

Several swarms of Italian honey bees for sale cheap. C. I. Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray of Rochelle were among the visitors to this city yesterday.

C. W. McDonald, the trucker of Rocky Point, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

J. W. Chamberlain of Tacoma and Messrs. Thompson and Deen of Island Grove, were in the city yesterday.

M. M. Clyatt, one of the progressive merchants of Otter Creek, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

C. M. McKinney, a prosperous planter, all-round clever citizen and good friend of The Sun, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Friends of Mrs. Griffith, who has been indisposed for the past few days, will be pleased at the information that she is enabled to be out again.

R. G. Bass, the merchant of High Springs, was in the city for a short time yesterday. He was en route home from Reddick, where he has been on a visit to his mother.

F. Marion Ramsey of Wacahoota was trading in the city yesterday. He states that the movement of vegetables, especially peas, beans and lettuce, is quite heavy just now.

Our labor contract saves possible loss from advances made to employees. Price: 50c or less by mail, 3½ cents each; \$3 per hundred; cash with order. The Sun, Gainesville, Fla. daw

J. A. Phifer went yesterday to High Springs on business. Mr. Phifer states that the firm of Phifer & Phifer, New York Racket, High Springs, composed of H. L. S. B., W. B. and J. A. Phifer, propose to close out that business as soon as possible.

Jefferson Hodges of Port Tampa has returned to his home, after a brief visit to his brother, Dr. J. Harrison Hodges, and sister, Mrs. E. M. Walton, here. Mr. Hodges is engaged in the postal clerk service between Port Tampa, Key West and Havana.

Janitor Moses Sherman of the court house is one of the most industrious of his race. Mose prizes the court house lawn very highly, and loses no opportunity to beautify the same. When he is not busy at his other duties he devotes his time to keeping the grass well mowed and the hedges neatly trimmed.

C. E. Howard and sister, Mrs. W. G. Stewart, and two children, Josephine and Garrett, after spending the season delightfully at the elegant Howard home, East Gainesville, expect to make their departure today for their home in Pittsburgh. These are elegant, hospitable people, and have many friends here who are delighted each season to welcome them, and sorry to see them leave.

After spending nearly four months in this city at the home of Mrs. Garrett, West Court street, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones and daughter, Miss Amelia, expect to make their departure for their Long Island, N. Y., home this morning. They were all delighted with Gainesville and its people, Mr. Jones remarking that it was one of the cleanest, prettiest, healthiest and most hospitable inland towns he had ever visited. Friends hope to see them again next season.

Tuesday Night Scrap.

There was a "scrap" between Buster Tillman and another colored boy in the vicinity of the Seaboard Air Line station at a late hour Tuesday night, in which "Buster," true to his illustrious title, "busted" the other fellow's head with a rock.

Tillman succeeded in making his escape, and so far has eluded the officers.

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### Antique Case.

Attorneys Hatcher and Figuers, C. B. Gracy and Attorney Figuers' stenographer, Miss Lura Landrem, of Columbia, Tenn., who have been in the city for the past two days taking depositions in a famous contest case in which Gainesville people have figured conspicuously, returned to their Tennessee home yesterday.

The case in question involves a great deal of land, a valuable estate upon which there is a contest in division. The depositions were in regard to parties interested in a divorce suit of R. Gracy vs. Francis E. Gracy, granted in the court of Alachua county about fifteen years ago.

### Always Liberal to Churches.

Every church will be given a liberal quantity of L. & M. paint. Call for it. 4 gallons Longman & Martinez L. & M. Paint mixed with three gallons linseed oil, will paint a house. W. B. Barr, Charleston, W. Va., writes: "Painted Frankenburg block with L. & M. Stands out as though varnished."

Wears and covers like gold. Don't pay \$1.00 a gallon for linseed oil, which you do in ready-for-use paint.

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